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Shirt Waists

go at the following low prices:

\$1.00 quality.....	79c
\$1.25 and \$1.39 quality.....	\$1.00
\$1.69 and \$1.89 quality.....	1.35
\$2.25 and \$2.35 quality.....	1.65
2.45 quality.....	1.85
\$2.75 and \$3.00 quality.....	2.00
\$3.75 and \$3.79 quality.....	3.00

ANNA L. GEISENHEIMER,
ROUND CORNER BLOCK.

E. C. Parsons,
Real Estate.

Michigan Free-stone Peaches!

Direct from the orchard--20 hours trip.

We are receiving direct from one of the finest orchards in Michigan, large, solid free-stone peaches. We guarantee all baskets to contain nothing but fancy peaches. Leave orders for canning. We can furnish in either 1 bushel baskets, 4 bushel baskets or pecks. Remember we are going to have the best peaches and we expect to control the peach trade here this fall.

DOWNING BROS., Grocers
8 EAST FIRST STREET. TELEPHONE 340.

S. S. DODGE,
The Jeweler.

Diamonds!
Watches!
Jewelry!
Silverware!

FINE ENGRAVING A SPECIALTY.

Largest Stock. Lowest Prices.

Watch This Space.

Brushes!

Hair, Bath, Complexion,
Hand, Nail, Tooth,
Cloth, Shoe,
Paint.

Large assortment to select from; also a full line of Toilet Articles. Try our Aromatic Tooth Powder; it thoroughly cleanses without injury to the teeth.

A. H. Tillson Drug Co.,
Prescription Druggists.

What Time Is It?

Our Parlor Clock says 11:15 The Dining Room Clock 11:22 The Kitchen Clock 11:07 and likely the Up-stairs Clock 11:30

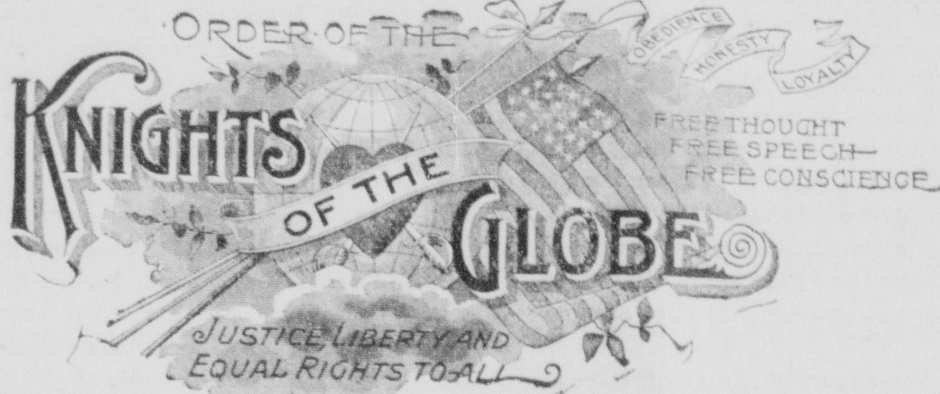
Why not be SURE? Here is a fine Regulator, handsomely cased in Mahogany or Oak, as you may prefer; requires no winding or looking after in the least; accurate as the finest watch. It will govern the comings and goings of your family to the minute, and provide a standard of correctness for all your clocks. The price is \$25.00, and you cannot spend \$25.00 that will bring you later peace of mind nor more enduring satisfaction. The AUTOMATIC ELECTRIC CLOCK to be seen only at

Wendel's, The Jeweler.

Women and Men

In sympathy with one another in the subject or organization they are most benefitted by. Cash buyers are benefitted through our cash organization as well as Wholesale Underprice Savings. As you give us praise us to the neighbors. Same goods for less money at

O. F. Greenawalt & Co's
Cash Big Stores,
BIG HORSE SHOE SIGN.



DIXON'S BIG DAY

IMMENSE CROWDS OF SIR
KNIGHTS GREETED WITH
A PERFECT DAY.

WELCOME TO OUR CITY

To the Music of Many Bands the
Long and Imposing Parade Moves
to Assembly Park, Where the
Multitudes Are Entertain-
ed with Addresses
and Music

Today Dixon welcomes the largest gathering of people ever within its boundaries and everything is favorable for a gala day. The oppressive heat of the past few weeks has been tempered by a refreshing wave of cool air and clouds kindly hide the sun's blighting rays.

Welcome, Sir Knights and Ladies, and may you be able to carry home with you a bright memory picture of our city, our people and of the good time which we trust has been yours.

All thru the forenoon hours our streets have been filled with marching Knights accompanied by playing bands as they came from the regular and special trains. A special from West Chicago, made up of ten coaches transferred from the Wisconsin division, brought the Wisconsin Garrisons with their bands. A special of eight coaches also came over the North-Western Line from Belvidere and another special of eight coaches came from Clinton, Iowa. A special from the north over the Central brought many hundreds and all regular trains were crowded.

Every preparation has been made for the comfortable handling of the crowds and for every detail of the day's exercises. At a recent meeting of

The first division, comprising all garrison in the United States not otherwise assigned, have headquarters at G. G. Rosbrook's hall.

Second division or garrisons of Whiteside and Lee counties are at Kling's hall.

Third division, Carroll and Ogle counties, at Dixon Regulation Drum and Bagle Corps hall.

Fourth Division, Carroll and Ogle counties, at Dixon Regulation Drum and Bagle Corps hall.

Fifth Division, Winnebago, Boone, McHenry and north half of DeKalb counties, C. J. Rosbrook's hall.

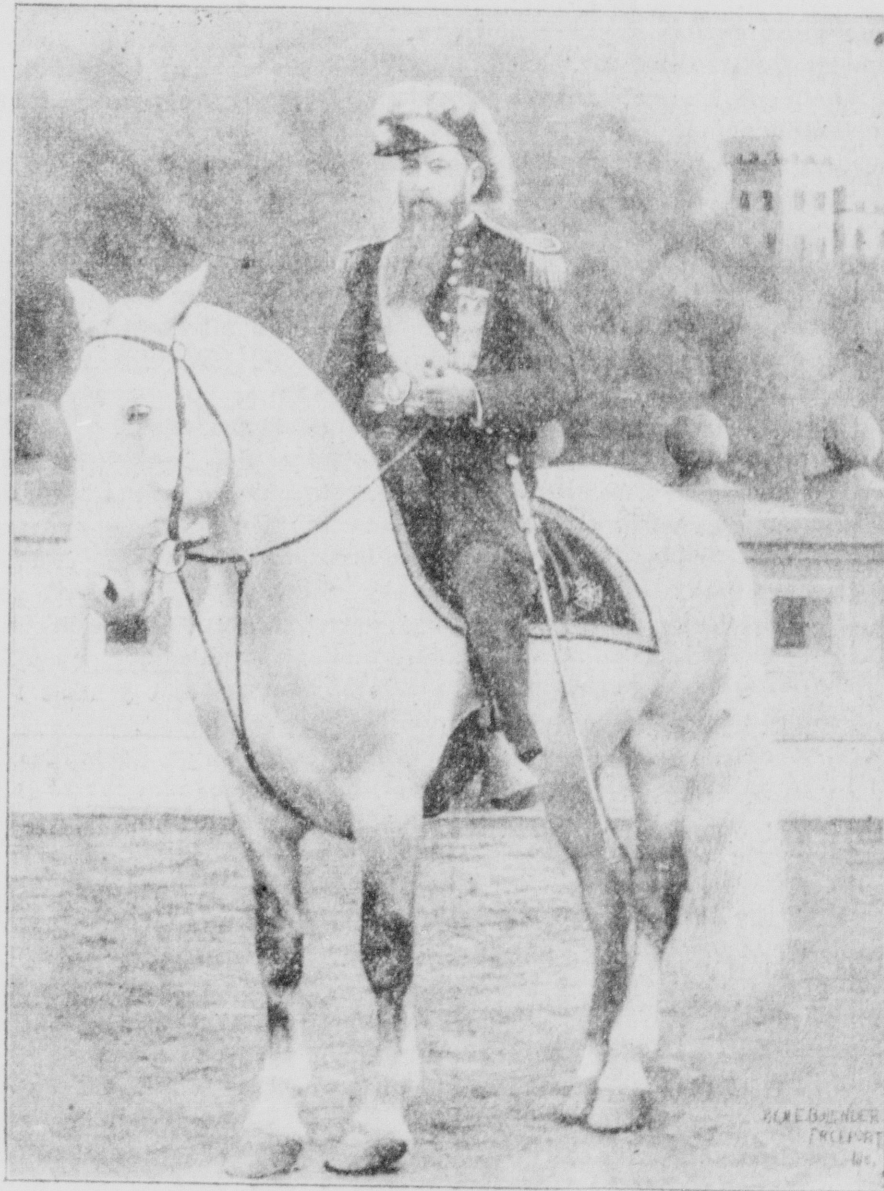
Sixth Division, all garrisons in the state of Wisconsin and in Lake and Cook counties, Illinois, at Henderson Shoe Factory Band hall.

Supreme Captain General W. W. Krape and his staff are assigned to the Nachusa House.

PROGRAM AT PARK.

Assembly Park was a sea of moving humanity and the large auditorium with a seating capacity of 5,000 could not accommodate the multitude of people. The finely uniformed troops of Sir Knights presented a pleasing spectacle as they marched to their places, and when the sweet strains of inspiring music arose from the Henderson Shoe Factory Band the spell of its charm touched the throng of people and their ceaseless movement was momentarily checked as they listened. Prolonged applause followed the music and did not cease until Judge John D. Crabtree, president of the meeting, called the gathering to order with a brief address.

The opening ode, "Marching Thro' Georgia," was joined in heartily by the large audience. Rev. Anthony T. Horn of DeKalb offered prayer and he was followed by a selection from the



Supreme Captain General W. W. Krape.

John Dixon Garrison Sir Knights Thomas Young, Robert Fulton and Frank S. Ayres were appointed to select working committees. An honorary committee of E. C. Parsons, Atty. A. C. Bardwell and Judge John D. Crabtree were named and a central committee to whom all other committees report comprises: Thomas Young, chairman; George W. Hawley, secretary; Dr. O. B. Blackman, John M. Sterling and Charles A. Weil.

The chairmen of the different committees are:

Program—Thomas Young.

Finance—John E. Moyer.

Advertising and Printing—Robert Fulton.

Grounds, Halls and Decorating—George W. Bruner.

Refreshment—Frank Bishop.

Parade—William Floto.

Reception—O. B. Anderson.

HEADQUARTERS.
Dr. Adam C. Schadel of Warren, Ill., Major General in command, together with his staff have headquarters at the Nachusa House.

Amphion Quartet of Polo. This quartet is composed of Messrs. Elmer Antrim, Oliver Chaddock, Chas. Wolf and C. H. Miller and their excellent singing received a hearty call for an encore.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME.

Hon. Chas. H. Hughes, Mayor of Dixon, then delivered the following address of welcome:

Mr. President, Supreme Captain General, Ladies and Knights of the Globe.—

It affords me great pleasure to greet such a vast and magnificent body of representative citizens assembled within our city, for the purpose of celebrating the anniversary of the Knights of the Globe, one of the most flourishing and noble of all of the fraternal societies in existence. Your objects and aims are to elevate and dignify the standard of manhood and womanhood, to bring increased facilities for social and intellectual enjoyments into communities and the home, to teach patriotism and benevolence, and to sub-

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Mother's Soap!

This is a strictly pure, high-grade White Laundry Soap; guaranteed to please.

Special Sale Price, 10 Bars For 25c.

Give Us a Trial Order.

J. H. MORRIS & SON
GROCERS

Both 'Phones No. 21.

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FURNACES



Garlands, Acorns, Round Oak, the best stoves in the world. We are receiving our fall stock and will soon have our floors filled. Don't forget where to come when cold weather begins.

E. N. Howell
HARDWARE CO.
DIXON ILLINOIS
112 Galena Ave. near bridge.

Wrapper Sale!

Just received another lot of those famous New York Wrappers

LOT 1. Wrappers worth 75c, sale price.....	49c
LOT 2. Wrappers worth \$1.00, sale price.....	75c
LOT 3. Wrappers worth \$1.25, sale price.....	98c

25 Per Cent. Discount on all our Shirt Waists.

J. R. Carpenter,
104 Galena Ave.



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Stubborn Things!

They say that all our Wash Goods must go. Read this:

All our 7c and 5c Dimities go at..... 34c
Laundered Chambry Sunbonnets go at..... 10c
Any Wash Shirt Waist we have (bargain) at..... 50c
Elegant Ass't Torchon Lace, any width, at..... 6c yd

Shoes.

Ladies' Tan Oxfords, while they last, 98c. Elegant new line Ladies' Samples just received.

I. B. Countryman Co.

Wait for our line of Fall Dress Goods.

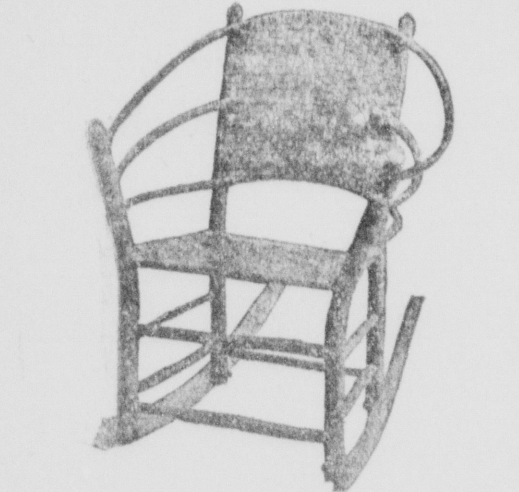
WANTED.
A competent to do general housework. No laundry work required. Mrs. F. A. Watson, East Everette street, North Dixon. 2417.
To borrow on city property, eighteen hundred dollars at 6 per cent for three years from money owner only. Address "C. D." TELEGRAPH office, 2435.
UNTIL May 1, 1901, a furnished house, 7 to 10 rooms. Answer by letter. GLEN S. PLUMB, Y. M. C. A. Bldg. 2436.
LADIES or Gentlemen to travel. Salary and expenses. No canvassing. Address "W. K." care of this office. 2421.
WOMEN wanted for dining room and kitchen work on Wednesday at European Hotel. 2322. HUGGET & HEIDENREICH.
GIRL competent to do general housework. Apply to Mrs. W. A. SCHULER, East Second street. 2417.
EXPERIENCED dining room girl. Apply to Hotel Bishop. 2417.
GIRL Wanted. Inquire at 614 Nachusa avenue. 2357.
THE People of Dixon to know that we are the leaders in low prices. Shirts, eight cents; collars, two cents; cuffs, four cents. 1737. CHICAGO STEAM LAUNDRY.

FOR SALE.
A SHETLAND Pony and cart. Apply to W. A. DUTCH, North Crawford avenue. 2436.
WISHING to leave Dixon I will sell my Oil Business. A. H. BERDICK. 2436.
HOUSE for sale; new. Enquire at the place, 804 Jackson avenue. E. LINDSTROM. 2420.
A GOOD single buggy, practically new, for sale at a bargain. JOHNSON & AVERY. 2396.
I HEREBY offer for sale one of my two frame buildings on the west side of Galena avenue, one block south of the Court House. Jail soon. THOS. DOLAN. 2327.
LONG established Millinery business. Closing out stock. Will sell in part or entire. Mrs. M. OARILL, 110 Peoria avenue. 1897.
KIMBALL Piano, upright, nearly new. \$100 instrument. Inquire at 912 West Third street. 1507.

FOR RENT.
DESIRABLE seven room house, north side, four blocks from business part of town. \$11.50 per month. F. E. STEELE CO. 4213.
HOUSE on Sixth street, in good condition. Enquire of Mrs. McMAHON, 103 East Everette street, North Dixon. 2417.
NEW cottage on East First street for rent. Enquire of W. A. SCHULER. 2406.
HOUSE—North half of double house on Peoria avenue, for rent, September 1st. Enquiries of Mrs. ANNA WORTHINGTON. 2397.
HOUSE of eight rooms of 306 Highland avenue. Good cistern and. Apply to Wm. LOVETT, at place, or at 329 Jackson avenue. 2396.
FIVE rooms, down stairs corner of Ottawa avenue and Ninth street. Enquire 112 Crawford avenue. 2317.
LOWER Flat. Mrs. A. S. MAXWELL, No. 401 second street. 2417.
HOUSE for rent, 518 Third street. A. E. SIMONSON. 2397.

WILLIAM W. KENT
ATTORNEY at Law, Solicitor in Chancery and Notary Public. Abstracts of Title to Real Estate in Lee County prepared and examined. Lee County Phone 159. Mohrstr & 1087.

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SAMUEL C. KELLS, Pres.
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LEONARD ANDRUS, Cashier.
CHAR. E. CRANDLER, Asst. Cashier.
This bank is fully equipped to take care of its customers. Its safety deposit vaults and boxes should be patronized by everybody who desires absolute security for their valuable papers, jewelry, etc.
C. E. MORRISON, S. B. BETHA, H. S. DIXON, MORRISON, BETHA & DIXON.
ATTORNEYS at Law, Jordan Building Telephone 18.



Do Not Smoke

In the house in warm weather when the porch chairs are so comfortable as the parlor chairs, the old Hickory rocking chair is still to be seen and story teller and good company. The chair here shown is strong, pleasant to look at and full of comfort. Price \$2.50, less for \$2.00. If you need a dozen, write for price. Freight prepaid east of Rocky Mountains. If your dealer does not keep them, write for illustrated catalogue free, showing 25 patterns and unique Twentieth Century styles of Rockers, Settees, Tables and all varieties of Rustic Furniture for Parlors, Verandas, etc., for Homes and Clubs. Pretty Settee for \$7.50.

The Old Hickory Chair Co.
Martinsville, Indiana

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure
Digests what you eat.

Artificially digests the food and aids Nature in strengthening and reconstructing the exhausted digestive organs. It is the latest discovered digestant and tonic. No other preparation can approach it in efficiency. It instantly relieves and permanently cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Heartburn, Flatulence, Sour Stomach, Nausea, Sticking Headache, Gastralgia, Cramps and all other results of imperfect digestion. Price 50c. and \$1. Large size contains 2 1/2 times as much. Book all about dyspepsia mailed free. Prepared by A. C. DEWITT & CO., Chicago.

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DYSPEPTICIDE
The greatest aid to DIGESTION.

NEW HIGH SCHOOL.

INCREASED EDUCATIONAL FACILITIES.

Commodious and Substantial Building Being Erected in North Dixon.

The stimulus accompanying adequate accommodations and a perfectly appointed building, well as careful instruction of painstaking, conscientious and capable teachers is to be given the pupils of the North Dixon schools by the erection of a fine high school building on the same lot and immediately west of the present building.
Since its erection in the fall and winter of 1898-1899 at a total cost of \$20,000 the old building has been to the hall of learning and stands an object of reverence for many of the present generation of Dixon's citizens. It stands today as solid as when built, and the walls of its five large class rooms echo during school days with the activity of the fast increasing number of pupils who are unable to find adequate accommodations.



New North Dixon High School Building.

Seeing the necessity for improvements the present school board, composed of J. W. Watts, president, G. A. Morris, secretary, J. N. Sterling, E. C. Parsons, E. N. Howell, J. E. Moyer and J. K. Hayden, has undertaken the burden of the erection of a new building which like the old one will be made as substantial and practical as good material and workmanship can make it. The plans were drawn by Architect F. S. Allen of Joliet and the contract for the building was let to W. J. McAlpine of this city for \$11,000. Good judges who have examined the plans and specification say that the funds have been well invested and that the needs of the present and future have been carefully looked after.

The building will be 64 x 70 feet over all and will consist of a high basement and two stories. The basement excavations will be four feet below the surface and the walls will be of stone to the windows of the first story. The remainder of the building will be of red brick as nearly resembling that in the old building as possible. The roof will be of slate with twenty inch copper gutters and the cornices will be of heavy galvanized iron suitably painted.

The first floor will contain the high school room, the superintendent's offices and one class room. The second floor will give accommodation for four class rooms and the laboratory. The basement contains the boys' play room, the girls' play room, toilet rooms and furnace room.

The building will be heated by steam and thoroughly ventilated, the steam pipes running through the flues to create a circulation. The plumbing includes ample provision for laboratory sinks and toilet room accommodations. The inside finishing lumber will be of first grade clear yellow pine finished in hard oil. The floors and stairs will be of hard maple. Blackboards, book-cases and improved school furniture will make the rooms attractive and convenient in appointment.

Contractor McAlpine whose record for thoroughness is enviable, is pushing the work as rapidly as possible although the building will not be ready for occupancy at the opening of the fall term of school.

Scores at the Bowling Alleys.

OPEN BLOCK ALLEY.	
Single—W. Howell,	219
Twenty ball game, W. Merriman,	119
Nine Pins, W. Howell,	10
DIXON ALLEY.	
Single—W. Howell,	225
W. Klossowski,	199
No Contest—W. Howell,	219

DIXON BAPTIST ASSOCIATION.

Continuation of Annual Meeting in This City.

The Tuesday afternoon session opened at 1:45 with a devotional service led by C. M. Patterson of Savanna, followed by the report of the association missionary committee.

Rev. E. P. Brand of Normal, state supt. of missions, then gave an address on state mission work, explaining methods used by the state board among the weak Baptist churches of the state and at points where there are no churches.

The clerk then read some of the letters from the churches to the association.

After the report of the committee on home missions, an address was delivered by Rev. J. B. Thomas of Chicago, district secretary American Baptist Home mission society.

Dr. Thomas contrasted the spirit of churches many years ago toward missions shown by an entry in the record book of a Baptist church in southern Illinois against missionary and temperance work, and the spirit which exists today. It will be the work of the black man of America, he declared, to

the spirit to the early apostles, and the work of the spirit. He declared that this great gift is for all Christians today, if they will only ask for it.

After the announcement of committees, Rev. W. C. Spencer read the report of committee on Foreign Missions by Rev. C. H. Holden of Freeport. Rev. E. W. Lounsbury of Chicago then gave a stirring address on Foreign Missions. "Launch out into the deep" were Christ's words to his disciples. We must undertake great things for Him.

Dr. Lounsbury, who is a secretary of the American Baptist Missionary Union told of the standing and work of that great society. He said that the credit of the Union was as good as that of the bank of England. Many buy annuity bonds of the Union. From 4 to 7 per cent interest is paid to the holders during their lifetime and after death, the principal is possessed by the Union and used for the spread of the work.

The direct donations from the churches this last year was \$36,000 larger than any year but two in the history of the society.

The results from the work in heathen lands has been marvelous. One

RAILROAD TIME TABLE.

CHICAGO & NORTH-WESTERN RAILWAY	
EAST BOUND.	WEST BOUND.
No. 8... 8:25 am... A	No. 13... 10:15 am... C
No. 9... 4:50 am... A	No. 2... 12:30 pm... A
No. 15... 6:30 am... A	No. 1... 3:47 pm... C
No. 2... 7:05 am... A	No. 17... 7:10 pm... C
No. 10... 7:25 am... C	No. 11... 7:50 pm... A
No. 12... 11:15 am... C	No. 1... 8:50 pm... A
No. 14... 3:45 pm... C	No. 3... 1:05 am... A
No. 13... 5:15 pm... D	No. 131... 4:00 am... D
No. 4... 8:02 pm... A	* Freight... 9:15 am... A
* Freight... 8:20 pm... A	

* Carry passengers only Sunday.
A—Daily. B—Daily except Mon. C—Daily except Sun. D—Sunday only. E—Daily except Saturday.

F. L. MURRAY, Agent.
Arrangements have been made with the Davenport, Rock Island & Northwestern R'y. whereby Standard First Class Coaches are now run daily between Chicago and Davenport and Rock Island, leaving Chicago at 10:00 a. m., arriving Davenport 2:30 p. m., Rock Island 2:45 p. m., and returning, leaving Rock Island at 3:25 p. m., Davenport 5:45 p. m., arriving Chicago 8:30 p. m.

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RAILROAD	
SOUTH BOUND.	NORTH BOUND.
Pass. Ps. 3:35 a. m.	Dub. Pass. 5:43 a. m.
Thru. Ps. 10:17 a. m.	Freeport P. 10:42 a. m.
Jecaur Ps. 4:55 p. m.	Thru. Ps. 5:43 p. m.
* Freight... 8:50 a. m.	* Freight... 1:15 p. m.
* Daily—Others daily except Sunday.	
L. BACKUS, Agent	

THE WEATHER.

The following is the weather forecast telegraphed us at 9:45 o'clock a. m. today from the government observatory at Chicago.

Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday, with probably local showers and thunderstorms.

WEATHER REPORT.

For the week commencing Aug. 19, 1900.

	Max.	Min.	Precep.
Sunday	94	74	—
Monday	94	73	—
Tuesday	—	70	.28
Wednesday	—	—	—
Thursday	—	—	—
Friday	—	—	—
Saturday	—	—	—

Painting.

Those in need of Neat Frescoing, Painting, Paper Hanging or Artistic House Decorating, should consult

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Foley's Kidney Cure makes kidneys and bladder right.



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Co. Phone 323.

DOWNING BROS.

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RICHELIEU
Java and Mocha
COFFEE
The Finest Produced.

"Hurricane" Coal.

Mr. I. L. Martin is the exclusive agent at Dixon, Ill., for the sale of our celebrated Hurricane Coal, which is mined and shipped by the undersigned Company whose mine is situated in the center of the famous Carterville Coal Field. In connection with our plant there is a Lurgi Washer with a capacity of 800 tons per day, which is the only Washing Plant in the Carterville Coal Field. "Hurricane" Washed Nut and "Hurricane" Egg is the best domestic coal in the west and can only be bought from this company or its authorized agents.

St. Louis & Big Muddy Coal Co. CARTERVILLE, ILL.

Full supply of Hard Coal. Call and get prices before you buy.

I. L. MARTIN,

South end of bridge.
No. 61 Both 'Phones.

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LEMEN BROTHERS'
World's Monster Shows!

3 Ring Circus, 5 Continent Menagerie, Trained Animal Exhibition, Real Roman Hippodrome, Free Horse Fair. Surely coming and will positively exhibit at

Dixon, Monday, September 3d.



THE MIGHTY BOVALAPUS

The rarest, strangest, awfulest of all mighty monsters of the great deep.

RAJAH

The biggest brute on earth, a towering giant. The very lord of beasts. Taller, longer, weighs more, cost more than any elephant ever captured. Bigger than the famous Jumbo.

CAPT. SANTIAGO, HIGH DIVER,

The world's highest diver; actually dives himself backward from the highest point ever dived from.

EDNA COOKE.

The girl wonder. The only lady turning forward and backward somersaults on a bareback horse. A challenge of \$10,000 to any one who can produce her equal.

KITTIE WATSON.

The only lady 4 or 6 horse rider in the world. Whole droves and herds of animals, Giant Camel, Long Maned and Tailed Horse, Baby Hippopotamus, Baby Lions, Serpents and Birds.

RACING STEERS, A GREAT NOVELTY

100 Exalted Circus Champions in 150 Supreme Acts
COMPLETE, LARGEST, GREATEST WORLD'S MENAGERIE.

Grand Street Parade at 10 a. m. High Dive at 10:30 a. m.—6:30 p. m.

Excursions on all railroads. All Tents Waterproof. Doors open at 1 and p. m. Performances at 2 and 8 p. m.

Att. J. E. Lewis was up from Am-
boy.
—Wynn Mason was up from Lee Cen-
ter.
—Mr and Mrs. Carl Page enter-
tained last evening.
—Henry Levi has gone east to buy
fall and winter goods.
—William Keenan of North Mo-
Gregor, Ia., was here on business to-
day.
—Miss Mary Morrison of Bluff Park
gave a birthday party yesterday to a
few friends.
—The Maccabees have rented the
George Rosbrook hall for a dance on
September 3rd.
—Rockton is to have a rural mail de-
livery out from Rockford beginning
September 1st.
—Mrs. Hopkins and three children
are the guests of Mrs. George L. Schu-
ler of Bluff Park.
—Mrs. Tibbitts has returned from
her cottage at Assembly Park and is
now at her Bluff Park residence.
—We give today on page 2 an an-
nouncement of Lemen Bros. famous
stews which will appear in Dixon to-
morrow, Sept. 3.
—Mrs. Everett T. Schuler, who has
been visiting here for a few days, was
called to Birmingham, Ala., by the
loss of her husband.
—Prof. Kelchner, Ben Swank and
several others left Dixon yesterday
with tent and provisions for a two
week outing up the river.
—Mrs. E. B. Merritt, who has been
leaving the summer with Mrs. E. E.
Ingert, will leave Dixon today for
her home at Anaheim, Cal.
—A water tandem bicycle, invented
by a South Chicago shipbuilder, pro-
vokes a success when tried on the lake
today. It covered 12 miles in an
hour.
—Mrs. Leonard Andrus is chaperone
a party of campers who went to An-
derson Island today. After a few days at
camp she goes to join Mr. Andrus in
east.
—Mr. and Mrs. Korns and daughter,
who spent the last week of the Assem-
bly with George Woodruff and family,
returned home to Sleepy Eye, Minn.
—Mrs. Fred Schrader of Mendota
and Mrs. Fred Baker of Walnut, who
have been guests at the Frank Fisher
home for the past few days, returned
to their respective homes today.
—A kidnapping episode occurred at
Dixon, Ill., Sunday. A 2-year-
old child of Mrs. W. Biefeldt was seized
from a porch. They were off in a buggy and escaped.
—A. Preston was noticed making
strides for home this morning
before six o'clock. It is sur-
mised that he deserted Camp Parake-
tis in order to get a good break-
down to the other campers.
—Another party of Dixon young folks
arranging to camp up the river,
will start some time this week.
The party is to be composed of Mrs.
J. J. Misses Blanch, Bees and Ruth
and Grace Martin, Messrs.
and Harry Rosebrook, Rob-
ert and Mr. Brown, of Hillsboro.
—Hell Arrested for Cruelty.
—Factors John and Henry Hell
came here to describe their
condition of Rockford were arrested
and \$25 each and costs yesterday
for brutally abusing their
in the gravel pits near Rockton.
The summer they have been
gravel for the C. M. & St. P.
and their cruel treatment
horses was brought to the at-
tention of the Rockford branch of the
Society for the Prevention of
to Animals. The charges
overworking, beating with
and clubs and throwing great
their horses. The charges
sustained. The law should im-
pose brutes or give them a taste
own medicine, and there is a
in this community that
receive attention at the hands
Society.
—Rough Riders Too Rough.
—Bill's Rough Riders are to
report Friday. They were in
at Chien, Wis., Monday, with
serious results. That night
partook to run things to suit
in spite of the efforts of the
authorities, which were too small
with them. During the riot,
in a saloon, two of the
were shot, probably fatally.
A city marshal and a night po-
lice are also seriously injured
are not expected to live.
—A dispatch from La-
the Rockford Register-Ga-
citizens arose in force to
be shown, but were unable
d the cowboys continued to
their own way until Buf-
had been summoned, who
needed in quieting his men.
first account we have met
an outbreak on the part
show people.

CIVILIZATION'S FLAGS

Now Floating Over the Imperial
Palace in the Peking "For-
bidden City."

DOWAGER PROBABLY "GOT AWAY"

Foreign Envoys En Route to Tien-
Tsin and a Good Rest.

Uncle Sam Refuses to Deal with Li
Hung on Peace—Conger's Con-
demning Message—Story of
the Capture of the City.

London, Aug. 22.—In the news that
reaches London this morning direct
from China there is nothing to confirm
the report that the empress dowager
has been run to earth. The foreign en-
voys, according to the Shanghai corre-
spondent of The Daily Express, are
proceeding to Tien-Tsin. The same
correspondent avers that the sacred
city was entered Aug. 15, two days
earlier than Rear Admiral Bruce re-
ported. "The flags of the allies," says
the Shanghai correspondent of The
Daily Mail, wiring yesterday, "are now
floating over the imperial palace.
Street fighting, however, continues.
Considerable assistance in the capture
of Peking was rendered by 4,000 armed
native Christians. The legations were
enabled to hold out by purchasing am-
munition from the Chinese.

United States' Action Approved.
American action in refusing to deal
with Li Hung Chang in the peace pro-
posals meets with unanimous approval
at the hands of the morning papers.
The Standard says: "We imagine that
other powers will take the same course,
at any rate until Earl Li produces sat-
isfactory evidence of his authority to
negotiate." The Daily Chronicle says:
"Mr. Conger has at last opened the
eyes of the state department to the
real character of Orientals."

Uncle Sam Rejects the Appeal.
Washington, Aug. 22.—The cabinet
session yesterday practically opened
the consideration of the momentous
questions growing out of the capture
of Peking and the war in China. Sev-
eral questions were awaiting attention.
First of these was the application of
Li Hung Chang for the appointment
of Minister Conger or some other com-
missioner to negotiate for the cessa-
tion of hostilities. The decision ar-
rived at was to reject the appeal, and
a reply of this character will be sent
to Minister Wu to be forwarded to Li
Hung Chang. The moving cause for
this action is that this government is
at present very much in the dark as
to whether there is any existing gov-
ernment in China.

Minister Conger's Message.
The cabinet had before it a mes-
sage from Minister Conger received
Monday night. After the meeting the
state department made public portions
of the dispatch. It is dated Chefoo,
Aug. 20, but has no Peking date. It
says: "Saved. Relief arrived today.
Entered city with little trouble. Do
not know where imperial family is.
Except deaths already reported, all
Americans alive and well. Desperate
efforts made last night to exterminate
us. Mitchell, American soldier, and
a Russian and Japanese wounded. Ger-
man killed. Advise Woodward, Chi-
cago; Conger, Des Moines; Sims, Coun-
cil Bluffs; Conger, Pasadena; Porter,
Paris."

STORY OF PEKING'S CAPTURE.

Our Flag One of the First Planted on the
Walls—Brief Fight Story.

Peking, Aug. 14, via Chefoo, Aug.
21.—[Copyright, 1900, by the Associated
Press.]—The American and Russian
flags were planted on the east
wall of Peking at 11 o'clock this morn-
ing. The Indian troops entered the
British legation at 1, and the Ameri-
cans at 3. There was a joyful recep-
tion from the wall. The evacuated
tenants could have lasted but little
longer. They had only three days' rations.
The Chinese had been attacking
furiously for two days. Four thousand
shells fell in the legation during the
siege. Sixty-five persons were
killed and 160 wounded.
The Japanese began the battle be-
fore daylight and they are still fight-
ing about the north wall, where a part
of the Chinese are defending the im-
perial city. The Japanese casualties
have not yet been ascertained. The
Russians had five killed and twelve
wounded. The Americans and British
had a few wounded. The plan was to
make a general attack tomorrow, and
the troops were arriving at camp five
miles east, all night. They were com-
pletely exhausted and slept in the corn
fields in the rain.
The generals, however, alarmed at
the sounds of a heavy attack on the
legations, pushed forward independ-
ently, the British, American and
French on the left of the river, and
the Russians and Japanese on the
right. Beginning at 2 o'clock this morn-
ing the Japanese diverted the brunt of
the resistance to the northern city,
their artillery engaging the Chinese
heavily there. The Americans and
British met with but little resistance
until they entered the city, where
there was street fighting. Reilly's
battery attempted to breach the inner
wall. The troops finally entered the
foreign settlement through the canal.
Company E, Fourteenth United
States infantry, planted its flag on the
outer wall. Musician Titus scaling the
wall with a rope, by means of which
the others climbed to the top. The
Chinese had continually violated the
armistice. The food supplies sent to
the legations by the empress dowager
were sufficient for one day.

STATEMENT THAT CONGER MAKES

Says the Whole Movement Is a Govern-
mental One, Not Rebellion.

Washington, Aug. 22.—What the
government cut out of Conger's dis-
patch is probably given in a special
to the New York Herald from Peking,
dated Aug. 17, which quotes Conger
as saying: "If the relieving column
had not arrived when it did we should
probably have succumbed. The Ameri-
cans lost seven marines killed and fif-

teen wounded, and one child died. The
whole movement is purely a govern-
mental one. The Boxers are only a
pretense, having no guns. The confi-
dential advisor of the empress was the
leader of the imperial troops here. In
eleven days over 2,000 shells fell
among us."

Both Conger and Sir Claude Mac-
donald have now placed the responsi-
bility for the Chinese hostilities on the
imperial government. The British am-
bassador asserts that the Chinese
broke every engagement with the for-
eign ministers. They did not supply
the legations with food. These declara-
tions disprove the continued assera-
tions of Li Hung Chang that the Box-
ers were unmanageable and the im-
perial troops amenable. It is about cer-
tain that the empress dowager led
the city before the entry of the allies.

Further proof of Chinese duplicity
is given in a press dispatch from
Hong Kong, which says: "A promi-
nent reformer has obtained from the
yamen runners a letter from General
Hung-Lu, commander-in-chief of the
northern army, to General Tung-Fu-
Sian, commanding the Kan-Su troops,
saying: 'It is not convenient to ac-
complish my secret order * * *

"I don't fear the foreigners. In
the case of San Mun I refused Italy
with the result that nothing was taken.
It is evident the foreign devils are
cowards. I and Prince Tuan recently
obtained the help of millions of Box-
ers, possessing magic boldness. I swear
to murder all the foreigners with the
assistance of the Boxers, who are sup-
plied with arms." General Tung-Fu-
Sian, in his reply, which was also ob-
tained, says he is of the same opinion
and places the Kan-Su troops at Gen-
eral Hung-Lu's disposal.

WHO ISSUED THIS ORDER?

Chinamen Were Not To Be Taken Alive,
Says a German Officer.

Berlin, Aug. 22.—General atten-
tion has been attracted by an
interview published in the
Frankfurter Zeitung between that pa-
per's correspondent at Tokio and Lieu-
tenant von Krohn, who was wounded
in Admiral Seymour's expedition.
Lieutenant von Krohn says: "At the
beginning wounded Boxers were sent
to the hospitals at Tien-Tsin; but it
was seen later that this was a mistake.
Hence an order was given to kill all
Chinamen able to stand, not even to
spare the wounded, but particularly
to make absolutely no prisoners what-
ever."

Marchand Goes to China.

Paris, Aug. 22.—Colonel Marchand,
of Fashoda fame, has been appointed
to the general staff of the China expe-
ditionary corps.

SEVEN DEAD IN THE WRECK.

All of Them Train Men Employed Run-
ning New York Central Freight.

New York, Aug. 22.—In a freight
train collision at Kensico, N. Y., last
night seven persons were killed and
others are missing. Kensico is on the
Harlem division of the New York Cen-
tral railroad, about sixteen miles from
New York. At 8:30 last night, while a
freight train was standing at the sta-
tion, a second freight dashed into the
rear end of it.

Reports from the scene of the ac-
cident say that the engineer and fireman
of the second train, and the conductor
and two brakemen of the forward
train are dead under the wreck, that
two others of the train crew are also
buried in the debris, and others are
unaccounted for. The engineer was
William Sangerbach, of New York,
and his fireman was Johnny Cassidy,
of New York.

Some Lynchers Who Got Justice, Nearly.

Palestine, Tex., Aug. 22.—Former
Justice of the Peace Joseph Wilkerson,
the alleged leader of the mob that
lynched the three Humphries in Hen-
derson county in May, 1889, and J. A.
Johns, Sam Hall and John F. Mad-
die, the remaining defendants, yester-
day pleaded guilty to murder in the
first degree and each received a life
sentence in the penitentiary. The ac-
tion disposes of all the Humphries
lynching cases, eight in number. Each
defendant received a life sentence.

Ambassador White's Daughter Weds.

Ithaca, N. Y., Aug. 22.—Miss Ruth
Mary White, daughter of Andrew Dick-
son White, ambassador to Germany,
was married yesterday afternoon to
Erwin Sidney Ferry, formerly of
Mount Vernon, N. Y. The wedding
took place in the White mansion on
Cornell campus. The groom is profes-
sor of natural philosophy in Purdue
college, Lafayette, Ind. The bridal
couple will tour Canada before going
to Indiana.

Rioters Condemned to Death.

London, Aug. 22.—A special dis-
patch from Allahabad, capital of the
division of the northwest provinces,
British India, of the same name, says
the trial of twenty-five prisoners con-
cerned in the Cawnpore plague riots
have resulted in the condemnation to
death of twenty of the accused.

Ill Rain That Does No Good.

Pierre, S. D., Aug. 22.—A heavy
rain, wind and hail storm has swept
over the country north of here, wreck-
ing numerous barns, etc. While the
rain is too late to benefit crops it has
filled all the ponds and small streams
and relieves a water famine, which
was becoming serious.

Rain Damages the Crops.

Green Bay, Wis., Aug. 22.—A rain
storm struck here Monday afternoon,
the fall of rain being over one and one-
half inches in half an hour. Much
damage is reported to crops. Telephone
and telegraph wires suffered greatly.

Will Pay Back the Bonus.

Coshocton, O., Aug. 22.—The Cosho-
cton Rolling mill will probably be dis-
mantled, and a conditional bonus of
\$20,000 paid to the builders by the
Coshocton board of trade returned by
the American Sheet Steel company.

Mother Taken; Babe Left.

Rice Lake, Wis., Aug. 22.—Mrs.
George Plesner was killed instantly
by lightning at her home near this
city. At the time she had a babe in
her arms and a child by her side,
neither of whom were injured.

MOVES OF THE CHIEFS

What the Leaders of the Political
Fight Are Doing in the
Campaign.

ROOSEVELT'S TALK WITH M'KINLEY

Bryan Speaking in Nebraska—His To-
peka Speech Ready—Stevenson
Talks to Missourians.

Washington, Aug. 22.—Gov. Roose-
velt left for New York yesterday morn-
ing on the 10 o'clock train. When
asked for information as to his visit
the governor stated that he came espe-
cially to see the president, desiring to
talk over matters concerning the cam-
paign and also regarding his itinerary.
The president and Governor Roose-
velt discussed various campaign pol-
icies, together with the features of the
letters of acceptance which are soon
to be made public. It is the desire
of Governor Roosevelt, as a vice presi-
dential candidate, to have his utter-
ances during the coming western tour
thoroughly in accord with the views
of the presidential candidate, and he
also desires to give expression to and
make features of the issues which the
president deems most important.

Bryan Talks in Nebraska.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 22.—William J.
Bryan addressed a large audience of
Saunders county people at Wahoo, the
county seat, yesterday afternoon. The
point is thirty miles north of Lincoln,
and the trip and back was made dur-
ing the afternoon. The speaking oc-
curred under the trees in the court
house yard, and the largest part of the
enclosure was well filled, notwith-
standing one of the heaviest rain
storms of the season had just passed
over the place, leaving the ground very
wet and uncomfortable. The speech
was one hour in length. It was large-
ly an appeal to Republicans to vote
the Democratic ticket, and dealt with
all the issues, including the silver
question. Bryan yesterday put the fin-
ishing touches upon his speech to be
made at Topeka Thursday in response
to the notification of the Populist nom-
ination. The speech is about 4,000
words in length and deals largely with
the trust question.

Stevenson Speaks in Missouri.

Sedalia, Mo., Aug. 22.—Hon. Adlai
E. Stevenson, Democratic candidate
for vice president, spoke here yester-
day. He was accompanied here by
ex-Representative Dockery, and other
prominent Missourians. A reception
to the distinguished visitors was held
in the morning at the Sisco's hotel,
and several thousand people shook
hands with Stevenson and Dockery.
The Jefferson club, of St. Louis, ac-
companied by a band, brought nearly
1,500 visitors from St. Louis and came
in for a large share of attention in the
parade. The parade started for the
park, where the speechmaking was to
take place, about 2 p. m. When the
speakers reached the park half an hour
later they were greeted by the biggest
crowd that has ever gathered in the
city. Stevenson made an extended
speech on the political issues and
Dockery spoke briefly in the rain.

HANNA OPENS IN NEW JERSEY.

Says Over-Confidence Is the Worst Fea-
ture of the Campaign.

New York, Aug. 22.—Senator Hanna,
chairman of the Republican na-
tional committee, opened the cam-
paign of the Republicans of New Jer-
sey at Asbury Park, N. J., last night.
A large crowd, more than could be ac-
commodated, gathered in and about
the Auditorium by the seashore. The
senator was roundly cheered when he
entered the building. He was intro-
duced to the audience by Frank Applie-
by, president of the Asbury Park city
council. His speech was a plea for
Republicans to make an aggressive
fight.

He said in the course of his remarks:
"Over-confidence is the worst feature
of this campaign. No one can be
blamed for confidence in what the out-
come will be after three years of
President McKinley. * * * A
note of warning has come from the na-
tional Republican headquarters. I am
responsible for that. [Cheers.] I
know the nature of the contest which
is before us, and I tell you that you
cannot afford to take anything for
granted, or to miss a trick." [Laugh-
ter and cheers.]

In Order to Perfect Fusion.

Hutchinson, Kas., Aug. 22.—The
Populist congressional committee of
the Seventh district in session here
yesterday received written letters from
Claude Duval and L. P. Campbell, re-
spectively Democratic and Populist
candidates for congress, withdrawing
from the contest. The letters came in
response to a resolution of the com-
mittee, calling upon both candidates
to retire so that harmonious fusion
might be effected. The committee at
once called a convention to meet here
in September to nominate a fusion
candidate. Friends of Jerry Simpson
are at work, and it is asserted that he
will be a candidate before the conven-
tion.

Anti-Addicks Jersey Republicans.

Wilmington, Del., Aug. 22.—The
state convention of the regular Republi-
cans (anti-Addicks faction) nominated
the following ticket yesterday: For
governor, Martin B. Burris; lieutenant
governor, John Hunn; presidential
electors—Charles W. Pusey, Manlove
Hayes and Daniel J. Layton. Hayes
was named as a presidential elector
by the Union Republican convention
(Addicks faction) two weeks ago.

Dolliver Thought the Coming Man.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 22.—The ap-
pointment of Jonathan P. Dolliver, of
Fort Dodge, to succeed J. H. Gear in
the United States senate is regarded
as settled. In some quarters it is
deemed barely probable that Conger
will be offered the place, but the
hypothesis is accepted by few. It is
not thought Conger wants the place
or that the national administration
would approve of his selection.

Political Debate at a Chautauqua.

Clairinda, Ia., Aug. 22.—The 1900
Chautauqua assembly at this city

closed yesterday with a political de-
bate between Landis, of Indiana, and
Champ Clark, of Missouri.

NOT SO BAD AS IT LOOKED.

Still the Blow at Sheboygan Was Destruc-
tively Sufficient.

Sheboygan, Wis., Aug. 22.—With the
fever of excitement abated and a re-
count made the list of buildings de-
stroyed or partially wrecked by the
storm Monday gives not over half the
number originally stated, and the mon-
ey loss is shown to have been greatly
exaggerated. The latest figuring gives
the number of buildings that suffered
at about seventy-five and the pecuniary
loss in the neighborhood of \$100,000.
The most remarkable feature of the
storm is that not a life was lost.

The storm originated at Marinetta,
and from reports from the north it
seems to have followed the line of the
Northwestern railroad down as far as
Oshkosh. There it steered to the east
and seemed to make for the lake.
While it did considerable damage all
along its track it was most severe here.
It struck here and there for a distance
of a mile and a half from where it
first struck the city to where it left,
where it passed out into the lake. The
width of the storm was about half a
mile. It seems to have spent its great-
est force at some distance from the
ground. This accounts for the many
houses with partially demolished roofs.

WEALTH IN "LYING DOWN."

Fitzsimmons Offered \$100,000 to Lose His
Fight with Sharkey.

New York, Aug. 22.—The World
says that Bob Fitzsimmons has been
offered by letter \$100,000 by a Cana-
dian of high financial standing to lose
his fight with Sharkey, and that Fitz-
simmons treated the suggestion with
contempt. The proposition Fitzsim-
mons declares he knows to be genuine.
The writer explained how much the
sum named would mean to Fitzsim-
mons and endeavored to show how no
chances were to be taken by accept-
ing it.

In speaking of the offer Fitzsimmons
said: "I am money proof. * * *
Just before my fight with Corbett at
Carson City I was offered \$75,000 to
lay down. * * * Two bankers
tried to buy me there, and they had
the money ready to pay over so soon as
I consented. I refused to talk with
them at all, just as I refuse to meet
the man who offers me \$100,000 to
bunco the public this time."

Fitzsimmons declined to make the
letter from the Montreal person pub-
lic in whole because he did not care to
compromise a friend on evil bent.

POPE LEO ON PROTESTANTISM

Opposes the Free Propagation in Italy—
Says It Is Dangerous.

Rome, Aug. 22.—The pope has ad-
dressed a letter to the cardinal vicar,
in which he sets forth what he calls
the danger of the free propagation of
protestantism in Italy, especially in
Rome. He observes that this propa-
ganda is permissible by law, but goes
on to show how painful to him is the
situation resulting from it.
Since he cannot oppose the propa-
ganda Leo recommends that the car-
dinal vicar strengthen the work of
preserving the faith, and he exhorts
Roman Catholics to unite in an effort
to minimize as far as possible the
damage caused by sectarian propa-
ganda.

Records on the Diamond.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—Following are
the scores made yesterday by League
clubs at base ball: At St. Louis—Cin-
cinnati 8, St. Louis 9; at Philadelphia
—New York 4, Philadelphia 5—ten in-
nings.

American League: At Chicago—Min-
neapolis 1, Chicago 3; at Buffalo—De-
troit 2, Buffalo 3; at Cleveland—In-
dianapolis 4, Cleveland 2; at Kansas
City—Milwaukee 11, Kansas City 4.

Gov. Mount and Kentucky.

Indianapolis, Aug. 22.—Governor
Mount has not changed his mind
about honoring the requisitions for the
Kentucky refugees as the result of the
Caleb Powers trial, and under present
conditions W. S. Taylor and Charles
Finley are safe in Indiana. Governor
Mount concedes that he has read the
evidence carefully, but refused to dis-
cuss it.

Allen Is Back at His Post.

San Juan, de Porto Rico, Aug. 22.—
The United States dispatch boat May-
flower, having on board the governor
of Porto Rico, Charles H. Allen, and
his family, arrived here Monday from
Boston.

Prince Accepts a Professorship.

Berlin, Aug. 22.—Prince Maximilian
of Saxony has accepted the professor-
ship of canonical law at the Universi-
ty of Freiburg, Switzerland.

Her Majesty Engaged Again.

Berlin, Aug. 22.—The Lokal Anzeiger
announces the engagement of Queen
Wilhelmina to Prince Frederick Adolf
of Mecklenburg-Schwerin.

Anderson Has a Base Ball Team.

Anderson, Ind., Aug. 22.—After
much talk the Columbus, O., team of
the Interstate League has at last been
transferred to Anderson.

NEWS FACTS IN OUTLINE.

A massive iron furnace is to be
built at Rose Hill, Va., near Middles-
boro, Ky.

Ten million dollars damage. It is
estimated, will be the result of the forest
fires now raging in Colorado and
Wyoming.

William Rider and Eugene Patter-
son were drowned in the lake at Chi-
cago.

Charles Wilcox, 2 years old, was fa-
tally scalded by the upsetting of a pail
of boiling hot water at Chicago.

In the United States and Canada
there are 990,094 Odd Fellows and 837,
395 Free Masons.

The czar of Russia's wedding gift to
Queen Dragana of Serbia was a
valued at 500,000 francs.

Earl Burnham, of Kansas City,
killed Mrs. Anna Tyson and wounded
her husband in a dispute about rent.

During a riot at a picnic at Dool-
ittle Mills, Ind., fifty persons were in-
jured, six probably fatally.

Field Marshal Count von Waldersee,
accompanied by his staff, left Berlin
Monday, enroute to China.

The National Association of News-
dealers, Booksellers, and Stationers
is in session at Newark, N. J.

Prevented a Tragedy.

Timely information given Mrs. George
Long of New Straitsville, Ohio, saved
two lives. A frightful cough had long
kept her awake every night. She had
tried many remedies and doctors but
steadily grew worse until urged to try
Dr. King's New Discovery. One bottle
wholly cured her; and she writes, this
marvelous medicine also cured Mrs.
Long of a severe attack of Pneumonia.
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lung troubles. Only 50c and \$1.00.
Guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Row-
land Bros.

Story of a Slave.

To be bound hand and foot for years
by the chains of disease is the worst
form of slavery. George D. Williams,
of Manchester, Mich., says: "My wife
has been so helpless for five years that
she could not turn over in bed alone.
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ters she is wonderfully improved and
able to do her own work." This su-
preme remedy for female diseases
quickly cures nervousness, sleepless-
ness, melancholy, headache, backache,
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derful curative powers of Bethesda
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"I had a severe attack of bilious
colic, got a bottle of Chamberlain's
Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy, took two
doses and was entirely cured," says
Rev. A. A. Power, of Emporia, Kan.
"My neighbor across the street was
sick for over a week, had two or three
bottles of medicine from the doctor.
He used them for three or four days
without relief, then called in another
doctor who treated him for some days
and gave him no relief, so discharged
him. I went over to see him the next
morning. He said his bowels were in
a terrible fix, that they had been run-
ning off so long that it was almost
bloody flux. I asked him if he had
tried Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and
Diarrhoea Remedy and he said 'No.'
I went home and brought him my bot-
tle and gave him one dose; told him to
take another dose in fifteen or twenty
minutes if he did not find relief, but he
took no more and was entirely cured."
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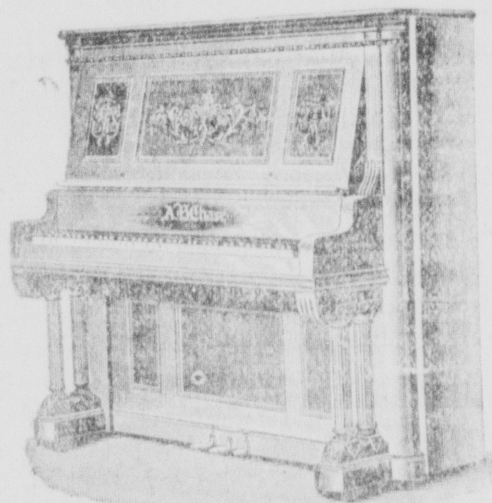
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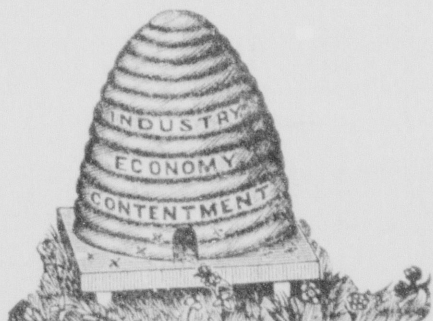
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stantially provide for the families of deceased members. A society with such designs and purposes must grow and flourish under such conditions as exist in this grand and glorious land of ours.

You have selected as your emblem the stars and stripes, the emblem of freedom, civilization, of education, and of Christianity. Wherever this flag of freedom advances these civilizing influences follow. Wherever you find a Garrison of the Knights of the Globe, you will find the American flag, and the time will come that wherever the American flag floats you will find Knights of the Globe. Your mission is a grand one and your field is large and increasing. This splendid assemblage, met for the purpose of celebrating your eleventh anniversary, bears eloquent testimony to the rapid growth of your order. Certainly you have reason to feel proud of your achievements.

You have shown great wisdom in your selection of a place to celebrate such an event. Dixon can accommodate you better than any other city of its size, and I assure you no other city would accord you a more hearty welcome. You do us great honor and we appreciate it. All Dixon is delighted—the heart and hand of every citizen of Dixon is open to you, and we welcome you with joy.

Again in the name of the visiting Garrisons I thank you for this royal welcome.

Miss Katherine Bowen, a talented young lady of Broadhead, Wisconsin, gave a very pleasing recitation and was followed by another selection from the Amphion Quartette of Polo.

Judge William C. Calkins of Galesburg was called to Kansas City on important business and was unable to fill his place on the program. The program, however, was very complete without this number and the enthusiastic and perspiring audience joined heartily in singing "America."

SENATOR ASPINWALL'S ADDRESS.

The principal address of the day upon the subject of the "Order of the Knights of the Globe" was then delivered by Senator Homer S. Aspinwall of Freeport. He spoke as follows:

Since the foundation of society or the establishment of government, patriotism has ever been a popular and favorite theme. There is no sane individual so devoid of the essential qualifications of manhood that he is not impressed with it in some form, and when the proper influences are brought to bear on the occasion demands, it will suddenly shine forth.

The society under whose auspice this celebration is held is above all. A patriotic American order. And it's



Senator Homer S. Aspinwall.

We have many attractions to interest you, among them our schools, our factories, our beautiful parks and drives, our new court house, our beautiful new public library and public hospital, one of the finest in the state of Illinois, which you are cordially invited to visit if you have time, and where you will be kindly cared for if you should be suddenly taken sick.

I take great pleasure in turning over to the Knights of the Globe the key to the city of Dixon. Supreme Captain General, you will please accept this key in behalf of the citizens of Dixon. It will unlock the North, the South, the East and the West gates to the city, and in the hands of a Knight of the Globe it will today unlock every home and the heart of every man, woman and child in Dixon. I ask you to keep it in the archives of your society as a souvenir of this occasion and for use on all like future occasions.

RESPONSE.

Alexander J. McNeil, of Rock Falls, responded to the address of welcome in the following words:

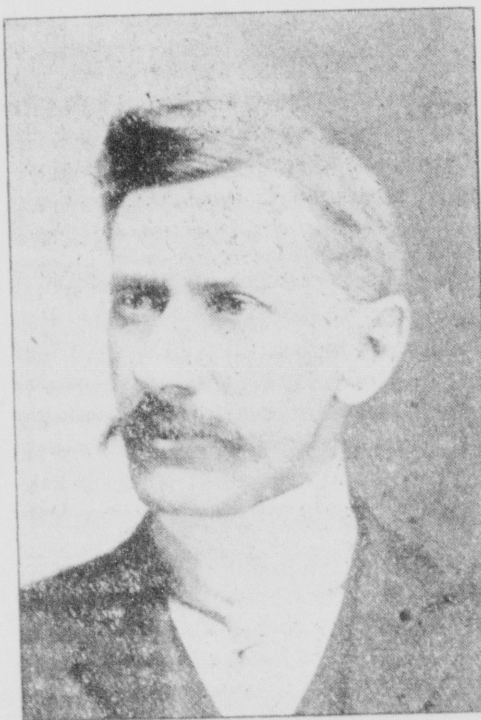
To me has fallen unexpectedly the duty of responding to the address of welcome, to which we have just listened. By the kind words of your mayor we have been made to feel that not only your city, but your homes and your hearts have been opened to us, and in the name of O. H. and L. I thank you for the visiting garrisons here to-day. As I look around me on the line of march, I thought where in all this broad land could be found a more ideal place than the milk city for such a gathering. You, in extending welcome to the Knights of the Globe, may think that you are welcoming simply a party of picnickers but for the day, but let me assure you that underneath our feathers and gaiety, you are welcoming an order which is noted the world over for its industry, its morality and its patriotism and its loyalty to its friends, its country and its country's flag. These being the characteristics of this order, I can assure you that we will return your city to you in as good, nay in better shape than we found it, for every person here today who sees Old Glory waving on high and who listens, harkens to the principles embodied in the speeches, will go home with more loyalty and more love for country and more respect for self than he ever before possessed; consequently in doing us great good you are doing yourselves greater good.

The royal reception we have received here today, has proved to us that the Dixon people are not novices in the art of extending hospitality.

teachings from the moment you cross the threshold of its asylum until the singing of the closing ode, are loyalty and patriotic devotion to the interests of the government.

We, as a nation, are in many respects different from any other. Our people are not peculiar, but we have an interesting history, strange almost beyond the wildest dreams of fancy or fiction. Pardon me if in memory I carry you back to the fifteenth century and recall to your minds the story of Columbus and the events which led to the discovery of the western hemisphere.

Through all the trials and difficulties which embarrassed him for so many years it is easy to trace the most patriotic and worthy motives; not only to



DR. L. A. BEARD, Polo, Colonel Third Division, Ogles and Carroll Counties.

Columbus, but all who rendered him assistance in his efforts. There was a love for his native country and a desire to increase her boundary lines which overshadowed all else. He was misunderstood and maligned, yet notwithstanding there is no name today in all European history that outshines that of Christopher Columbus. The world knows and honors his memory and to him without question is accorded the first place of that age.

Later, when settlements were being founded in the new world, you can easily recall the patriotic devotion to principle and for the right as against every form of evil and oppression. The lofty motives that inspired the pilgrim fathers and the early colonists of New York add Virginia as they bade adieu to the graves of their ancestors and for

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We Must Have Room.

In order to make room for Fall Goods, which are arriving daily, we have thrown all Summer Goods upon our center tables, including Shirt Waists, Wash Skirts, Dimities, Lawns, Linen Skirting, Covert Skirting, Percalines, Piques, French Gingham, Muslin Underwear, Bed Spreads, Sheets, Pillow Cases, Ladies', Children's and Men's Gauze Underwear, Towels, Napkins, Table Linens, Ladies' Wrappers and Summer Corsets, which we will sell regardless of cost. We have made up our mind not to carry over one dollar's worth of

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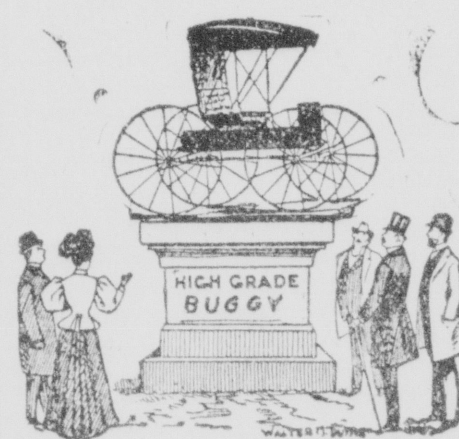
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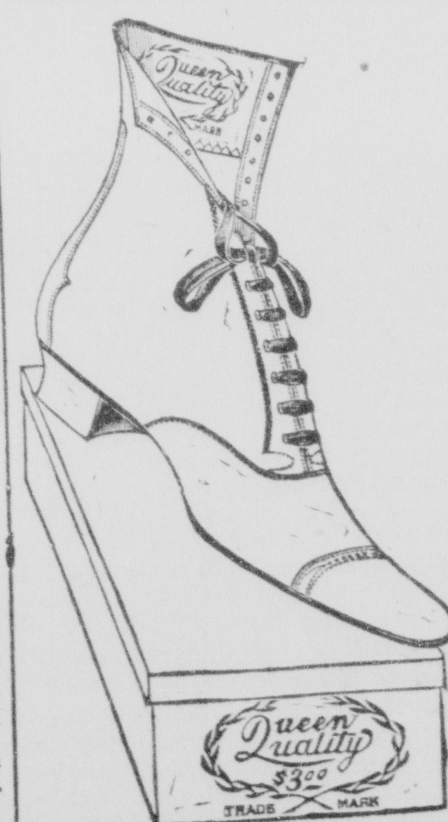
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the last time looked on the faces and
forms of loved ones will ever be per-
petuated in song and story.

Emigration which followed from the
civilized countries of Europe was made
up of men and women, in whose blood
was the iron of patriotism. How many
times their sacrifices and bravery have
been called to your attention. It is a
part of the world's history and always
commended. The emigration to a new
country is always composed of the
bravest and most courageous in the
community from whence they came.
Men and women who have the courage
of their convictions and are ready to
make any sacrifice for the good of
their families and society. Do you
wonder that from such an ancestry
we have the patriotic product found in
the American citizen?

When man and woman sever the ties
that bind them to their native land
and take their families across the
trackless ocean, renouncing former
fealty to King or Queen and take upon
themselves obligations of American
citizenship, they are made of the ma-
terial from which heroes come.

From these small settlements we
have grown to the proud position of a
world power, leading civilization in
its grand procession, now moving
toward not only the redemption of the
world from ignorance and superstition,
but better and more enlightened gov-
ernment for the people.

At such a time it is particularly
fortunate that we have such an order
as this. While our American citizens,
both native and foreign born, are
thoroughly imbued with the spirit of
our institutions, and need but little
along that line, yet it is always in
order to tell the story of our country
and recount the valor of our citizen
soldiers. Millions of people are seek-
ing a home among us, who have lived
under different forms of government
attracted by the many advantages of
our civilization who are acquainted
with our ways, or the spirit of our
institutions.

This unassimilated population can
be learned the lessons of Obedience,
Honesty and Loyalty, first by the im-
pressions made by just such celebra-
tions and parades as this. Later by
imitating them as Sir Knights, loyal
and true, whereas I have said, at every
step they are tough patriotism.

The field upon which we have en-
tered is large, and the laborers are
few. But you have only to draw in-
spiration from your illustrious prede-
cessors' most wonderful history to
gather all the encouragement neces-
sary for the work before you.

No other order of which I have any
knowledge has about it so much to sug-
gest patriotism and devotion as ours.
Every emblem of the order, every
name given a garrison carries with it
some lesson that as you study and be-
come familiar with it, makes you a
better and more patriotic citizen. The
first garrison founded was named after
the father of his country, a later one
for the great emancipator, at the men-
tion of whose name every resident of
the African race within our borders
stands with uncovered head and
breathes a silent prayer to Almighty
God that there lived a man by the
name of Abraham Lincoln. How our
hearts swell with pride as we read the
name of our illustrious citizen of
Illinois, whose deeds of valor and cour-
age are revived at the mention of the
name of John A. Logan Garrison.

The name of U. S. Grant Garrison
calls to our mind a career the like of
which the world never saw. "Not even
the Arab—who sits at night fall
surrounded by his companions and lets
his imagination people the cloudland
and the shadow, with beggars and
princes, genii and demons—ever con-
ceived a wilder story, nor one half so
heroic. Born in a rude cabin of logs
and became the ruler of a mighty peo-
ple; today a poor and harrassed em-
ployee of a country store and tomorrow
morning vast armies of hundreds of
thousands of men over lines sweeping
half a continent, and always to victory;
past middle-life and unknown to his
next door neighbor, and straightway
thereafter the guest of kings; circling
the earth in a triumphal march and
receiving a tribute of honor from every
sovereign."

With such names inscribed on these
beautiful banners—"the starry emblem
of liberty," the most beautiful thing
upon the earth or in the sky it makes
an impression never to be forgotten.
No other society in its parades or de-
corations gives the prominence to the
stars and stripes as does ours. How
much we love it and what it means we
may never know until we are out from
under its protection and influence. It
has never been in a conflict where it
has not come out with honor to the
great people it represents and protects.
And as long as the fires of patriotism
kindled on our hearth stones are kept
burning by the influence of this patri-
otic order it will never be hauled
down from where the valor of the
American soldier has planted it. It is
just such teachings as you get from
this order that makes of all the people
good and patriotic subjects.

Sir Knights and citizens, I can not
close without calling to your mind for
your own inspiration and profit, a most
worthy and patriotic incident in the

life of a humble private soldier by the
name of Thomas Doyle. Troop B-4,
United States cavalry. Twenty-five
years ago he was, with his company,
stationed at Fort Grant on our then
western frontier. An Indian massacre
was reported to the colonel command-
ing, of fifteen white pioneers and their
families, Troops B and K were ordered
to run down the murderers and capture
them. After a two days ride they were
found in the canyons, or at least their
trail was and the command was given
to go forward, but not until after
dark.

Soon the band was sighted and an
engagement took place, the American
soldiers on one side of the canyon, the
Indians on the other, about 300 yards
apart, each protected behind boulders
and rocks. As soon as it was daylight
the firing was at any Indian who came
into view, as well as American. Pri-
vate Doyle and Sergeant Wilson were
both behind a large rock awaiting an
opportunity to sight some luckless In-
dian. Suddenly, at the same moment,
they saw from out behind a rock the
barrel of an Indian's gun leveled at the
American commander who was calmly
studying the situation with his revol-
ver in one hand and his field-glass in
the other, totally unaware of the dan-
ger he was in. There was no way by
which the two troopers could get a
shot at the Indian. In an instant all
would be over and their beloved com-
mander dead at his post. It required
instantaneous action, and Private Doyle
was equal to the emergency. Shouting
to his comrade he said: "When I fire
make a break for the captain; I will
draw their fire." Springing to his feet
his carbine rang out and instantly a
hundred Indians came to view, with
their rifles aimed at brave Thomas
Doyle, who fell dead, pierced by a score
of bullets—as brave a man as the world
ever knew.

The captain for whom he gave his
life was twenty-five years later known
and honored as the brave and true
Maj. Gen. Henry W. Lawton. You
need not go to the written records for
patriotic deeds. Some of the bravest
and best are found in the ranks and
among the humblest citizens. The im-
pression largely prevails that one must
be prominent in the world's affairs in
order to be a hero. The world may never
know it and it is our duty to help keep
before the people these little things
which go to make up the world's full
compliment of heroes.

Gen. Grant once said at a banquet
where he was the guest of honor, and
in the speeches was referred to as the
greatest, best and most successful sol-
dier of the age, "I am entitled to no
more credit for doing my duty than the
humblest private soldier who does his
duty." These words from a man who

"Lived to clutch the golden keys
And mould a mighty State's decrees,"
are an inspiration to every Sir Knight
to take up anew the battle, feeling of
life as you do that some one will ap-
preciate our sacrifice and work.

We living here today are particular-
ly fortunate as well as rich in history.
While it is true that among us as a na-
tion state lines are somewhat obliterated,
yet we in Illinois are proud of the
fact that this was the home of that tri-
umphant of heroes—Lincoln, Grant
and Logan. The story of the republic
can not be told without recording
these names as the greatest of Ameri-
can heroes in the nineteenth century.
While in our meetings we sing their
praises; remember also the humble,
patient patriot who in time of need al-
ways comes to the front as the hope
and stay of the nation. Remember al-
ways as true and faithful Sir Knights
we have a duty to perform which no
one else can do. Our government is
securely founded and none ever need
fear that it will not stand. As Sir
Knights we have a deep and abiding
faith in our government.

Our institutions of civil and religious
liberty furnish full equipment of shield
and spear for the battles of freedom
and an absolute protection against
the danger of which threatens the
welfare of the people, will always be
found in the intelligence which ap-
preciates their value and the courage
and morality with which their powers
are exercised. But, we must rise to the
full measure of the greatness, and
follow closely in the precepts of the
great statesmen of the United States
which they have laid down for us.
We must not fall below the standard
of public duty and obligation. Let
the citizens of this country furnish a
liberal education for every man in a
public station. Let us hold high the
standard of citizenship and patriotism.
Let us not forget the duty and devo-
tion we owe to the Union and to lib-
erty. Believing as I do, that a large
amount of these blessings and a great-
er portion of the prosperity of our
nation have been brought to us through
the instrumentality and wisdom of
Lincoln, Douglas, Logan and of Grant,
let us, as citizens of a common country,
never lower the standard, but let us
remember that in union there is
strength. With this inspiring past
and splendid present, the people of
this state are the heirs of a hundred
years of marvelous prosperity. There
may be some clouds in the horizon
that portend danger, but they are
small compared with the great mass
of good. Let us, therefore reconse-

crate ourselves to the principles of
liberty, again place ourselves upon
the altar of our state and nation, and
declare here and now, that the record
made by the patriotic sons of this
country shall be preserved by us and
handed down to our children and our
children's children, untarnished, with
an added trust in the stability of our
government and an abounding faith
in our order and our state, we hail the
coming century with hope and joy.

Following Senator Aspinwall's ad-
dress the Dixon band again played a
selection and the afternoon's program
closed with the singing of the ode,
"Red, White and Blue."

The large audience then dispersed,
some to wander about the pleasant As-
sembly grounds, but the majority to
return to the city where the many
bands filled the hours until the time of
departing trains with sweet and inspir-
ing music.

In the early part of the evening the
awards of prizes for the best bands and
the garrisons making the best show-
ings will be made from the balcony of
the Nachusa House.

A grand ball will be given this eve-
ning in Geo. Rosbrook's hall by the
Rank Staff which will close the pro-
gram of the day.

The Grand Parade.

Under the direction of G. G. Messer,
marshal of the day, and lead by the
Henderson Shoe Factory Band of this
city, the streets of Dixon presented a
sight which they have never before
equaled in the line of a parade. Form-
ing around court house square, the
various divisions of the parade found
their places one by one in true military
order as follows:

Henderson Shoe Factory band.
Major General Adam C. Schadel of
Warren and staff.

First Division.

Col. W. I. Brady of Freeport and
delegates from miscellaneous divisions.

Second Division.

Col. John L. Jansson of Sterling.
Illinois Refrigerator Band, hired by
Sterling.

Sterling Garrison.
Franklin Grove Band.

Franklin Grove.

Nachusa.

Rock Falls Band.

Rock Falls.

Colleta.

Tampico.

Erie.

Steward, 25 in line.

Ashton Band.

Ashton, 80 in line.

Amboy, 100 in line.

Dixon, 200 in line.

Third Division.

Col. L. A. Beard of Polo.

Polo Band.

Buffalo, No. 3, 100 in line.

Pine Creek, No. 139, 25 in line.

Mt. Morris Band.

Brookville, No. 134, 50 in line.

Oregon, No. 11, 20 in line.

Milledgeville, No. 35, 15 in line.

Fourth Division.

Col. John F. Jewell of Galena.

Elizabeth, Ill., Band.

Lead Mine, No. 105.

Galena, No. 17, 12 in line.

Council Hill Garrison, 20 in line.

Lena, No. 10, 35 in line.

Fifth Division.

Col. D. C. Cowan of Poplar Grove.

Knights of the Globe Band, Freeport.

Freeport, No. 1, 100 in line.

Freeport, No. 8, 100 in line.

Rockton, No. 50, 10 in line.

DeKalb Cornet Band.

DeKalb, No. 150, 20 in line.

Malta Band.

Malta, No. 152, 50 in line.

Sixth Division.

Col. S. F. Schadel of Monroe, Wis-
consin.

Monroe, Wisconsin, Band.

Monroe, No. 4, 100 in line.

Monticello, Wisconsin, General Joe
Hooker Garrison No. 6, 30 members, 20
in line.

Besides the Garrisons of Sir Knights
the following Lodges of Eminent
Ladies were represented:

Ashton, No. 32, 33 present.

Nachusa, No. 44, 20 "

Sterling, No. 34, 20 "

Rock Falls, No. 5, 15 "

Freeport, No. 1, 15 "

DeKalb, No. 78, 10 "

Compton, No. 30, 15 "

Galena, No. 37, 5 "

Proceeding down Second street to
Madison avenue and then north to
First street, the parade marched up
First street thru streamers of waving
flags and bunting and throngs of spec-
tators. The handsome uniforms and
flying banners presented a fascinating
sight and the long pageant was follow-
ed by hundreds of people as it crossed
the bridge and proceeded to the As-
sembly grounds.

—We are under obligations for fa-
vors to D. M. Winter, who has been ten
years associated with the Freeport
Journal. Mr. Winter is representing
the Journal today at the great gather-
ing of the Knights of the Globe.

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JOHN E. MOYER,
Both Phones. North Dixon.

KANKAKEE, ILL., July 23, 1900.

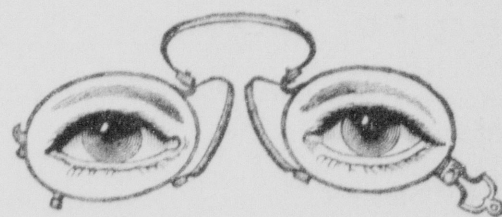
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Backache pains come from sick kid-
eys.
Doan's Kidney Pills will cure it.
Dixon people endorse this.
Mrs. L. Sindlinger of 84 West Cham-
erlin street, says: "An advertisement
on our papers about Doan's Kidney
Pills having cured cases of backache
nduced me to go to Leake Bros' Drug
store and get a box. I am pleased to
ay that my experience leads me to
ally embrace the claims made in that
atement. There are so many unre-
able medicines on the market that
hen I use a remedy and the use de-
onstrates its value it seems to me that
would be lacking in my duty to my
low sufferers did I not make known
he value of that preparation. A trial
f Doan's Kidney Pills will convince
e user of their value."
For sale by all dealers, price 50 cents
box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo,
Y., sole agents for the U. S.
Remember the name—Doan's—and
ake no other.

nnual Celebration Knights of the
Globe, Dixon, Ill., August
22nd, Half Rates.

The Illinois Central will sell excur-
on tickets from points in Illinois
rth of El Paso to Dixon at one fare
r the round trip on August 22nd good
return until August 23rd.

uffalo Bill's Wild West Show, Free-
port, August 24th.

The Illinois Central will sell excur-
on tickets from Dixon to Freeport
ad return at one and one-third fare on
ugust 24th, good to return until Aug-
st 25th.

ACK LINE.

A. I. Gage has the only first-class
ack line in the city. Office 117 West
irst street; both telephones No. 113.
Will also furnish 10c hack to all day
ains.

Very Low Rates to Denver, Colo.,
ia the North-Western Line. Excur-
on tickets will be sold August 18 and
, limited to September 3, on account
Farmers' National Congress. Apply
agents Chicago & North-Western
ly.

Excursion Rates to Camp Meeting at
Epworth Grove, Ill.,
ia the North-Western Line. Tickets
ill be sold at reduced rates on account
this Assembly, to be held at Ep-
orth Grove from August 16 to 26. For
ates of sale, rates, limits of tickets,
c., apply to agents Chicago & North-
Western R'y.

Home Seekers' Cheap Excursions.

The North-Western Line will sell
ome seekers' excursion tickets August
and 21, and the first and third Tues-
ays of each month during the year,
ith favorable return time limits, to
umerous points in the West and
outh, at exceptionally low rates. For
ickets and full information apply to
ents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

armers National Congress, Colorado
Springs, August 21 to 31, 1900.

The Illinois Central will sell tickets
August 18th and 19th, good to re-
urn until September 20th, at low rate,
r the above mentioned meeting. En-
uire at ticket office. Aug142&364

ace Meeting, Nutwood Driving Club
Duquque, Iowa, August 21, to
25, 1900.

For the above occasion the Illinois
entral will sell excursion tickets to
ubuque and return at one fare for the
und trip from August 18th to 25th
imited to return until August 27th.

Railway Farm Lands for Sale.

In Northern Wisconsin on the North-
estern Line. Low rates and easy
rms of payment. About 400,000 acres
f choice farm lands. Early buyers
ill secure the advantage of locations on
he many beautiful streams and lakes,
hich abound with fish and furnish a
ever ending and most excellent water
apply, both for family and for stock.
Land is generally well timbered, the
oil fertile and easy of cultivation.
Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul, Minne-
apolis, Duluth, Superior, Ashland and
umerous other thriving cities furnish
ood markets for farm produce.

For further particulars address Geo.
V. Bell, Land Commissioner, Hudson,
Wis., or G. H. McRae, A. G. P. A., St.
Paul, Minn.

Excursion Tickets to Rochelle Fair at
Rochelle, Ill.,
ia the North-Western Line will be
old at reduced rates August 27 to 31,
imited to September 1. Apply to
ents Chicago & North-Western R'y.

Free Reclining Chair Cars Cincinnati
o Chattanooga, Queen & Crescent
oute night trains.

OUR DICK" WILL WIN THE DAY.

A mighty victory's coming, boys,
Our Dick will win the day;
As governor of Illinois
Our Dick will win the day;
Oh, he's our choice of candidates,
For him the laurel-wreath awaits,
All hail the name of Richard Yates!
Our Dick will win the day!

CHORUS.

Hurrah! hurrah! Come vote the good,
old way!
Hurrah! hurrah! our Dick will win the
day!
We'll show the world Republicans have
come in power to stay,
True to the state and the Union.

A thrill of rapture stirs the air,
Our Dick will win the day;
The state proclaims it everywhere,
Our Dick will win the day;
He stands for all that's good and true,
Prepared his noble part to do,
His father's fame shall ring anew,
Our Dick will win the day.

Oh, wave Columbia's flag on high,
Our Dick will win the day;
Let Freedom's glorious colors fly,
Our Dick will win the day;
The Richard Yates of '91
Was famous for his duty done,
All hail to father and to son!
Our Dick will win the day.

Then let the mighty chorus ring,
Our Dick will win the day;
Let Illinois exult and sing,
Our Dick will win the day;
For governor we want the best,
And Richard Yates will stand the test,
With him the people will be blest,
Our Dick will win the day.

MANY OPEN DESERTIONS.

Will County Democrats Dissatisfied with
Bryan and His Platform.

John P. Conrad of Peotone, Will
county, writing to the Joliet Republic-
an, says in part:
"I want to say that I am a genuine
German, and am thoroughly acquaint-
ed with the German people of this sec-
tion. I have lived here since 1869, and
can say that I cannot account for even
one German Republican who voted the
Republican ticket four years ago, who
intends leaving the Republican party
this fall. The Germans are a pros-
perous and industrious class of people.
They know a good thing when they
see it, and are going to stay with it.
They are not flapping this fall. They
have had four years of McKinley and
prosperity, and you can bank on them
supporting a president and an admin-
istration that bring good times and
happy homes. On the other hand, I
can say that I know, and am author-
ized to say that a number of Demo-
crats have renounced the "free-wind,"
"free-soup" and "free-silver" doctrine
of Bryanism, and will support William
McKinley and the Republican ticket
this year. Dr. R. H. Henry, who has
always supported the Democratic tick-
et, now comes out openly for McKin-
ley. In a personal interview with John
Cann, a prominent farmer of the town
of Will and ex-road commissioner, who
voted for Bryan four years ago, he
said he would vote the Republican
ticket and work for McKinley and
prosperity. Robert Norman, a life-
long Democrat and ex-justice of the
peace, and member of the Democratic
central committee, says: 'I have about
come to the conclusion that I cannot
vote for Bryan.' He says if Bryan is
elected it would cause hard times, and
that he would support McKinley next
November. George Konkin, of the
town of Sumner, Kankakee county,
also a life-long Democrat, and who
was town clerk for a number of years,
and a candidate on the Democratic
ticket for county clerk in Kankakee,
four years ago, says he will vote for
McKinley, prosperity and expansion. In
a personal interview with F. C. Has-
meyer, another prominent Democrat of
Peotone, who has voted the Democra-
tic ticket for over fifteen years, he says
he is opposed to the free-silver plat-
form, is in harmony with expansion
and will vote the Republican ticket
this fall."

Is or Are?

The Chicago Chronicle, at present
Democratic as "Democratic" was un-
derstood "before the war," finds fault
with Senator C. K. Davis for speaking
of the United States as a concrete
body—a Union one and indivisible—
and says for itself:
"The constitution speaks of the
United States as 'they,' and the plural
verb 'are' only can be used in de-
fining their powers. A United States
senator should have respect enough
for the constitution to follow its use
of language."
This is what the old copperheads
used to say. It was their theory that
the Union was a mere federation of
"theys" from which any one of
"them" could secede at its pleasure.
But, accepting the disloyal inter-
pretation of The Chronicle as sound,
then becomes of Bryan's contention
that "the constitution follows the
flag," and that therefore the Phil-
ippines are citizens of the republic?
If the constitution applies only to the
"theys" that constitute "the United
States" then, clearly, Hawaii, Cuba,
Porto Rico and Philippines are mere
possessions—domains acquired by
treaty, by purchase or by conquest.
The false premises of The Chronicle
lead to a conclusion wholly hostile to
Bryan's assumption.

As a matter of fact, we properly
say "the United States is" when we
speak of it as a federal government,
and "the United States are" when we
speak of them as a congeries of com-
monwealths, each with separate and
well defined powers that are subordi-
nate to the general or federal govern-
ment.

But whether "the United States" be
spoken of in the singular or in the
plural, as "it is," or as "they are,"
as a body or as a number of separate
bodies; neither Cuba, Porto Rico nor
the Philippines have been admitted
as factors with powers co-ordinate to
"their own," or to "its own."

Get an Increase in Wages.

Eighteen molders employed at Fish-
er's foundry at Macomb are participat-
ing more largely in prosperity since
last week, when they began to draw
pay on an increased wage scale which
will amount to between 20 and 25
cents per man each day. Less than
two years ago there was another in-
crease, amounting to from 35 to 45
cents a day for each man.

Bryan for Free Wool.

Mr. Bryan, as a member of the ways
and means committee, said: "I am
for free wool!" and he has never
changed his mind. Wool growers in
Illinois have had an object lesson in
the free wool business that they don't
care to repeat.

"SPARTACUS."

The Author's Story of How He Came
to Write It.

A writer in the Lewiston Journal
who interviewed Rev. Elijah Kellogg
says:
When asked if he had written any
declamations besides "Spartacus to the
Gladiators," "Regulus to the Cartha-
ginians," "Virgilius to the Roman Ar-
my" and "Pericles to the People," he
replied that he had written "Icilius,"
but that it had never been published.
Then he asked the writer if he had
ever heard how "Spartacus" came to
be written, and when told that he had
never heard an authentic statement
concerning it Mr. Kellogg said:
"During my first year in Andover
Theological seminary we were required
to write original declamations and de-
claim them before an audience. A com-
mittee of three seniors criticised the
speaker publicly, and Professor Parke
performed the same duty privately. I
always dreaded to face an audience
and especially to be criticised publicly,
and so I thought I would write some-
thing that would so interest them in
the story of it that the critics would
forget to notice the errors, and so I
wrote 'Spartacus.' When I had finish-
ed declaiming it, the professor asked
the committee if they had any sugges-
tions to offer, and they said they had
not, but Professor Parke told me pri-
vately that there were errors that
might be mentioned, but that he was
glad I had made a departure from the
old custom of declaiming nothing but
sermons and moral dissertations and
had given them some rhetoric."
So the author of "Spartacus" was the
first declaimer of it. Little did he
think that he was the first of thou-
sands of academic and collegiate
youths on both sides of the sea to re-
cite a composition of so humble origin.
This bit of literary history is precious
as coming from the lips of this grand
old man, and this interview will fore-
ver have a safe place in the treasure
house of the writer's memory.

THE PARACHUTE.

A Monk's Experiments in Air Flight
in the Eleventh Century.

Credible accounts exist of an English
Benedictine monk, Oliver of Malmes-
bury, in the eleventh century having
tried to fly by precipitating himself
from the height of a tower with the as-
sistance of wings attached to his arms
and his feet. It is said that having
gone along a little way he fell and
broke his legs. He attributed his ac-
cident to failure to provide his apparatus
with a tail, which would have helped
preserve his equilibrium and made his
descent a gentler one.

In the sixteenth century Leonardo da
Vinci first demonstrated that a bird,
which is heavier than the air, sustains
itself, advances in the air, "by render-
ing the fluid denser where it passes
than where it does not pass." In order
to fly it has to fix its point of support
on the air. Its wings in the descend-
ing stroke exert a pressure from above
down, the reaction of which from be-
low up forces the center of gravity of
its body to ascend at each instant to
the height at which the bird wishes to
maintain it. Some sketches which
have come down to us prove that Leo-
nardo occupied himself, like Oliver of
Malmesbury, with giving man the power
to fly by the assistance of wings
suitably fixed to the body.

We owe to Leonardo also the inven-
tion of the parachute, which he de-
scribed in the following terms: "If a
man had a pavilion each side of which
was 15 braces wide and 12 braces high,
he might cast himself from any height
whatever without fear of danger." It
may be said, too, of Leonardo da Vinci
that he was the first to suggest the
idea of the screw propeller.—Apple-
tons' popular Magazine.

Rufus Choate's Bad Writing.

George Ticknor, the historian of
Spanish literature, was once called as
a witness in a case in which Rufus
Choate was engaged, and, being seated
by the eminent counselor, was attract-
ed by the notes which he had made of
the evidence. After eying them with
interest, he remarked that the writing
reminded him of two autograph letters
in his possession—one of Manuel the
Great of Portugal (dated 1512) and the
other of Gonsalvo de Cordova, the
great captain, written a few years
earlier. (Any one who has glanced
over these remarkable specimens of
chirography will marvel that it was
possible to make out a syllable of such
illegible scrawls.)
"These letters," Mr. Ticknor assured
Mr. Choate, "were written 350 years
ago, and they strongly resemble your
notes of the present trial."
Choate instantly replied, "Remark-
able men, no doubt; they seem to have
been much in advance of their time."—
Caroline Ticknor in Truth.

Sweet and Low.

A young man named Sweet engaged
to marry a young woman named Lowe.
A few Sundays previous to the wed-
ding the happy couple attended church
together, and as they walked along the
aisle the choir began singing the song
"Sweet and Low," entirely unconscious
of the musical pun that was being per-
petrated. "And all this happened in a
city in Michigan."—Choir Journal.

The Way to Success.

The Elderly Gentleman—"The true se-
cret of success is to find out what the
people want—
The Younger Man—And give it to
them, eh?
"Naw, corner it."—Indianapolis Press.

A Brute.

The Father—You two had better
have a quiet wedding.
The Lovers—Why?
The Father—There'll be noise enough
and to spare after you're married.—
Syracuse Herald.

HOAR UNMASKS RRYAN.

Massachusetts Senator's Reply to the Lat-
ter's Acceptance Speech.

Senator Hoar has made a vigorous
reply to Bryan's speech of acceptance.
He practically accuses Bryan of hy-
pocrisy in the part he played in se-
curing the ratification of the treaty
with Spain, and his subsequent cam-
paign against imperialism. Senator
Hoar said:
"The anti-imperialism of Bryan, and
that of his party, is but a mask; it is
a mask to cover the things they have
had most at heart from the beginning;
it is a mask to cover their purpose to
establish the free coinage of silver; a
mask to cover their purpose to
bring in free trade; a mask to
cover their purpose to overthrow the
banking system; a mask to cover an
attack on the supreme court, and a
purpose to reorganize it if they can get
the opportunity."
A very considerable number of the
Judges of the supreme court of the
United States are old men. It is not at
all impossible that the majority of the
court may be changed during the term
of a single president. Long appoint-
ed, I believe, a majority of both courts
of Massachusetts during his three years'
service as governor, although these
were, if I mistake not, much younger
men. If Bryan should be elected he will
bring his party into power with him,
the party which is at this moment en-
gaged in contriving with masterly in-
guity the disfranchisement of 10,-
000,000 of Americans at home.

I must have something better than
the declarations against imperialism
from a man who secured the passage
of the treaty and baffled all ef-
forts I was able to make against it,
before I am ready to purchase his elec-
tion at the cost of having a government
that will sympathize with the dis-
franchisement of 10,000,000 of Americans
at home, that will stand for dishonor-
ing the currency for the violation of
national faith, for the overthrowing of
the banking system, and the establish-
ing of an income tax, for assailing the
integrity of the supreme court, for
sympathizing everywhere with Popu-
lism and socialism; I prefer to support
that party which has brought comfort
into the homes of our workmen,
which has cleared off the indebtedness
of the farmer, which has brought En-
gland herself to our shores as a bor-
rower, which has made the balance of
trade on our side, and established for-
ever the independence of American
manufacture.

Has Helped the Farmers.

A farmer in Macon county got his
eyes opened to his own interests in
this way: During the latter part of
the last Democratic administration he
was thoroughly convinced that the
only salvation for the country was the
free coinage of silver at 16 to 1, and
he conscientiously voted for Bryan in
1896. During the same period he
borrowed money at 7 per cent., mortgag-
ing his farm and paying \$100 commis-
sion for the money. After the election
of McKinley, Decatur agents looked
him up and loaned him the money for
5 per cent. without commission. A few
days ago he told a friend about it and
confessed how he had been prejudiced
in 1896, and added: "I have voted my
last Democratic ticket."

Different Now.

Sixteen to one, we rise to remark,
was all wrong in 1896, but in 1900 it
is all right. In 1896, as a result of
four years of Democratic misrule,
there were sixteen men chasing after
one job. In 1900, as a result of the
prosperity that has come with a Re-
publican administration of affairs,
there are sixteen jobs hustling after
every one unemployed man. Sixteen
to one is all right when it is the right
16, and all wrong when it is the wrong
sixteen. It eternally happens that the
16 are on the right side when the Re-
publicans are in power, and on the
wrong side when the Democrats are
on top.

First Voters' League.

The First Voters' Republican Na-
tional league has been organized for
active work during the campaign. The
object of this organization, whose
headquarters will be in Chicago, will
be to enlist young men in the active
work of the Republican party. Local
leagues will be organized in all the cit-
ies and towns throughout the country.
The permanent organization will be
effected within a few weeks, but for
the present Fletcher Dohyns, 100
Washington street, Chicago, will act
as temporary president, and all com-
munications in regard to the work
should be addressed to him.

A Benefit to Farmers.

Illinois farmers appreciate the lib-
eral extensions which have been made
in the rural free mail delivery service
in this state under the Republican ad-
ministration during the past four
years, and they want the good work
continued. New routes are constantly
being established, to the joy of the
people.

Southern Illinois Outlook.

Governor Tanner, who has been
through the southern part of the state,
says the Republican vote there will
be much larger than it was in 1896.
The silver Republicans are largely
back in the Republican ranks and the
gold Democrats will divide their votes
between McKinley and Bryan.

Aischuler's Millstone.

In addition to his personal qualifi-
cations, Richard Yates has, in this
campaign, the prestige of 40 years of
efficient Republican rule in Illinois.
One the other hand, Mr. Aischuler has
a millstone tied to his neck in the
form of four years of Democratic mis-
rule and maladministration.

Renounces Bryanism.

Dr. C. W. Matthews, of Richmond
precinct, Cass county, has renounced
Bryanism and comes out openly for
McKinley and Yates. The doctor has
for years been a leading Democrat of
Cass county, and but recently declined
a re-election as county central com-
mitteeman.

Populists Are Scarce.

The Populists of Illinois seem to
have completely winked out. The in-
fluence of the party was never of any
moment except to give the Democra-
tic managers an excuse to desert Dem-
ocratic principles for new and worse
ones.

Has a Proud Record.

Illinois City, one of the prosperous
villages of Rock Island county, is
proud of the fact that there is not a
single Democrat among its citizens. A
strong Republican club has just been
organized there.

They Honor McCullough.

Young Republicans of Champaign
have organized a McCullough club, in
honor of the popular state auditor. It
starts with a large membership.

Illinois Central R.R. Chicago and St. Louis

Via Springfield.

OF INTEREST TO
STOCKHOLDERS.

Free Transportation to Attend the
Annual Meeting at Chicago.

The Board of Directors of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, at a meeting held July 15, 1900, adopted the following preamble and resolution:

Upon the recommendation of the President, the resolution adopted July 21, 1897, authorizing the free transportation of stockholders over the Company's lines, to Chicago and return, at the time of the annual meeting of stockholders, was reconsidered and amended so as to read as follows:

RESOLVED, That, until the further order of this Board, there may be issued to each holder of one or more shares of the capital stock of the Illinois Central Railroad Company, as registered on the books of the Company, a ticket enabling him, or her, to travel free over the Company's lines from the station on the Illinois Central Railroad nearest to his or her registered address to Chicago and return, for the purpose of attending, in person, the meetings of stockholders. Such ticket to be good for the journey to Chicago only during the four days immediately preceding, and on the day of the meeting, and for the return journey from Chicago only on the day of the meeting, and the four days immediately following when properly countersigned and stamped during business hours—that is to say, between 9:00 a. m. and 5:00 p. m.—in the office of the Assistant Secretary, Mr. W. G. BATES, in Chicago. Such ticket may be obtained by any registered holder of stock on application in writing, to the President of the Company in Chicago. Each application must state the full name and address of the stockholder exactly as given in his or her certificate of stock, together with the name and date of said certificate. No more than one person will be carried free in respect to any one holding of stock as registered on the books of the Company.

By order of the Board of Directors,
A. G. HACKSTAFF,
Secretary.

The next annual meeting of the stockholders of the Illinois Central Railroad Company will be held at the office of the Company, in Chicago on Wednesday, September 26, 1900, at 10:00 a. m. For the purpose of this meeting, the Stock Transfer Book will be closed from the close of business on September 11 to the morning of September 27.

Buffet Library Smoking Car and a Complete Dining Car.

The Buffet Library Smoking Car has comfortable lounging chairs, a convenient and well stocked buffet, a well selected library of the current books of the day and files of the leading monthly and weekly periodicals, and a desk supplied with stationery and other facilities for writing. The dining Car has a capacity of thirty at a sitting and takes the place of the Compartment Cafe. Pullman-Buffer features previously maintained on this train. It is open for meals served a la carte during the entire run between St. Louis and Chicago.

New Local Line Between ST. LOUIS and FREEPORT

A through coach is now run between St. Louis and Freeport on local trains leaving St. Louis and leaving Freeport in the morning. This is a first-class line for such points in Northern Illinois as Bloomington, El Paso, La Salle, Mendota, Dixon, Forreston and Freeport; and, as good connection is made by this through car at Freeport with the Central's through limited trains to and from the west, it is also a first-class line for Galena, Dubuque and local points west in Iowa. Connection is also made north, bound with trains for Munroe, Dodgeville and Madison, Wisconsin.

Full particulars concerning the above can be had of agents of the Illinois Central and connecting lines.
A. H. Hanson, G. P. A. Chicago.

C. S. ARNOLD of Youngstown, Ills., in writing of DR. FORD'S DYSPEPTICIDE

says: "My wife has taken 3 bottles of DYSPEPTICIDE and is I believe permanently cured of indigestion, constipation and sick headache, with which she has been troubled for twenty or more years. Money can not estimate the good it has done her." **Never fails to cure.**

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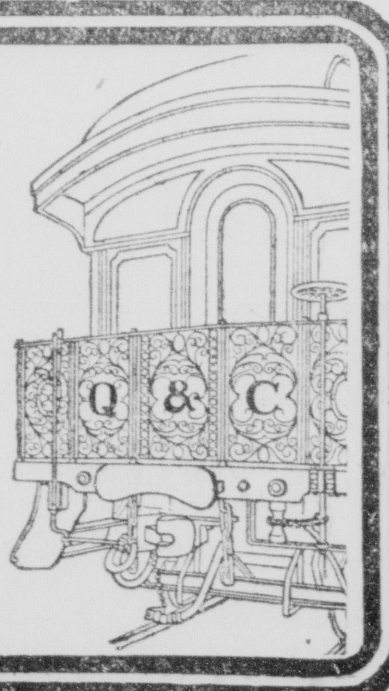
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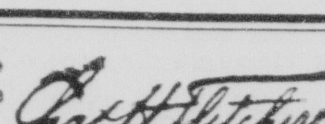
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Genuine Pure Food Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

Gentlemen:—I must say in regard to GRAIN-O that there is nothing better or healthier. We have used it for years. My brother was a great coffee drinker. He was taken sick and the doctor said coffee was the cause of it, and told us to use GRAIN-O. We got a package but did not like it at first, but now would not be without it. My brother has been well ever since we started to use it. Yours truly, LILLIE SOCHOR, GOSHEN, ILL.

Best Way to Cure Backache.

Backaches are caused by disorder in the kidneys. FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE will make the kidneys right. Take no substitute. Rowland Bros.

You will never find any other pills so prompt and so pleasant as DeWitt's Little Early Risers. Rowland Bros.

The greatest skin specialist in America originated the formula for BANNER-SALVE. For all skin diseases, all cuts or sores, and for piles, it's the most healing medicine. Rowland Bros.

Drink Bethesda Freely.

Obstinate cases of the diseases of the kidneys or bladder yield promptly to the free use of the famous Bethesda Mineral Spring Water. It promptly relieves that peculiar thirst characteristic of kidney diseases in many cases. Distressing symptoms rapidly disappear. Write for booklet giving partial list of those cured. A. M. Jones, President, Bethesda Mineral Spring Co., Waukesha, Wis.

Sick Headache

is the bane of women. What is wanted is not relief alone, but relief and cure. DR. LOYAL FORD'S DYSPEPTICIDE will cure sick headache for all time. It makes the stomach right. Rowland Bros.

The wolf in the fable put on sheep's clothing because if he traveled on his own reputation he couldn't accomplish his purpose. Counterfeiters of DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve couldn't sell their worthless salves on their merits, so they put them in boxes and wrappers like DeWitt's. Look out for them. Take only DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cures piles and all skin diseases. Rowland Bros.

THE DREAD of people with weak lungs who suffer with stubborn coughs is consumption. FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR, if taken in time, cures the cold, heals the lungs and always cures incipient CONSUMPTION. Rowland Bros.

"I am a switchman," writes A. J. Jennessee, of 9201 Butler St., Chicago "and am out in all kinds of weather. I took a cold which settled in my kidney and was in very bad shape. I tried several advertised medicines with no benefit until I was recommended to take FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE. Two-thirds of a bottle cured me." Rowland Bros.

In India, the land of famine, thousands die because they cannot obtain food. In America, the land of plenty, many suffer and die because they cannot digest the food they eat. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what you eat. It instantly relieves and radically cures all stomach troubles. Rowland Bros.

The lack of energy you feel, the backache and run down condition generally, all mean kidney disorder. FOLEY'S KIDNEY CURE will restore your strength and vigor by making the kidneys well. Take no substitute. Rowland Bros.

For Drunkenness and Drug Using Please write us. Correspondence confidential. THE PARENT INSTITUTE, DWIGHT, ILL.

ELOPEMENT SPOILED

This Time Because the Girl's Father "Got There" in Time for Action.

OPENING OF THE POLITICAL FIGHT

Republicans and Democrats Both at It in the Springfield Record.—Two Marriage Records.

Decatur, Ills., Aug. 22.—A wedding which was to have been the culmination of an elopement from Bluffs, Ills., to Decatur has been indefinitely postponed, the bride-elect has been taken home by her angry father and her lover and his best man are in the hands of the police on the charge of abduction. Anton A. Eastman, of Wellsville, N. Y., and Miss Maud Rockwood, of Bluffs, Ills., eloped from Bluffs Sunday night, reaching here at 3 a. m. Monday. With them was Earle E. Foster, also of Wellsville. The three went to a hotel, where Miss Rockwood was registered as from New York. She took a room while the two young men went out in front of the hotel and sat down to await the opening of the county clerk's office.

Question of Age Is Raised. While the men were still keeping their vigil a dispatch to the Decatur police came from B. Rockwood, the girl's father, requesting that the party be arrested. A policeman found the two men and the girl after a brief search and took them into custody. Monday noon Rockwood arrived here. He said his daughter was under 18 years of age, and he promptly swore out warrants charging the two men with abduction. Eastman and Foster say the girl is of age. Rockwood's son was deputized as an officer and was about to start back to Bluffs with the men when a writ of habeas corpus was secured by a lawyer they had hastily summoned.

So He Took His Daughter Back.

Rockwood took his daughter back to Bluffs. He said Eastman had been studying for the ministry and had boarded at his house for six weeks while trying to secure a position as a school teacher. Eastman failed to get a school, but he won the affections of the daughter of his host and the elopement followed.

POLITICAL FIGHT IS OPENING.

Both Great Parties Begin Work in the Springfield, Ills., District.

Springfield, Ills., Aug. 22.—The Democrats and Republicans opened their campaign in this part of the state yesterday. It was Republican day at the Mechanicsburg Chautauqua, and Democratic day at the Old Salem Chautauqua. Judge Yates was the attraction at Mechanicsburg. He arrived unaccompanied by any delegation and was immediately introduced. He confined himself to imperialism and the record of the Republican party. At noon he drove to Mount Pulaski, in Logan county, where he addressed the Old Settlers' reunion, making a non-partisan address.

Samuel Alschuler and Judge Sherman were the other speakers. Last night Judge Yates drove to Elkhart to take an Alton train for Chicago. Representative Cannon was the other speaker at Mechanicsburg. At Old Salem, Joseph Bailey, of Texas, was the speaker. He arrived here early in the morning and accompanied by a large delegation of Sangamon Democrats went to Old Salem. Tonight Bailey will speak here, and Thursday at Mechanicsburg, where the Democrats will be in charge.

Incendiary Fire Is Fatal.

Peoria, Ills., Aug. 22.—There were two fires here yesterday which cost in money \$30,000 and the life of a fireman—Captain Manning—who, with other firemen, was caught under a falling roof. The other men were buried under the debris and Pipeman Gibbons had both legs broken. Pipeman Distler was thrown from the roof of a two-story building during the fire and had his shoulder broken. The buildings burned were the Peoria mattress and lounge factory and the Carroll House. Both fires were incendiary.

His Team Came Home Without Him.

Stonington, Ills., Aug. 22.—William Ryan, a prominent and well-to-do farmer living four and one-half miles east of here, was instantly killed Monday supposedly by falling from his wagon. He had come to Stonington for a load of coal and lumber and left here at noon for his home. Shortly after 1 p. m. the team of horses driven by Ryan arrived at his farm house without their driver. A search was instituted and at 3 o'clock his lifeless body was found at the roadside one and one-half miles east of town.

Marriages That Were Not Failures.

Nashville, Ills., Aug. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. James Carroll celebrated the 75th anniversary of their marriage at their country home south of this city Monday. Seven children, twenty-six grandchildren and thirty-eight great-grandchildren were present. Carroll is 93 and his wife 92 years.

Bloomington, Ills., Aug. 22.—Mr. and Mrs. William H. Storey, of this city, celebrated the sixty-fifth anniversary of their marriage Monday.

Police Want Them for Forgery.

Chicago, Aug. 22.—M. F. Ryan and his alleged sister, Mrs. E. Ross, if they are caught by the police, will be charged with forgery, swindling and perjury. They obtained \$1,800 from Walter M. Howland in the Portland block by mortgaging to him property at 4442 St. Lawrence avenue which did not belong to them.

Not Time in That Old Town.

Pana, Ills., Aug. 22.—Yesterday was the hottest day of the year, the thermometer standing 104 in the shade at 1 p. m. Business and farming was practically suspended.

Whittico Waives Examination.

Pana, Ills., Aug. 22.—Sid Whittico, who attempted to kill his wife and mortally wounded his sister-in-law, has waived examination and been held to the circuit court without bonds.

THRILLING EXPERIENCE

Of the Crew of a Yacht That Got Caught in a Lake Storm.

Milwaukee, Aug. 22.—The steam yacht Sapho, of Chicago, met with a terrible experience on Lake Michigan after leaving Sheboygan Monday. The yacht was caught in the tornado as it spent itself in the lake, and for thirty minutes was buffeted about, those on board expecting every minute to be their last. The yacht reached Milwaukee yesterday. Commodore Stephens, owner of the yacht, speaking of the happening, said it was the worst he had experienced in twenty-one years of lake travel and how the yacht ever lived the stormout was more than he could tell.

Said the commodore: "The weather was perfectly calm up to the time we reached the storm. The air was clear—clear so that we could see for twenty miles around. Suddenly we saw, toward the shore, a greenish black cloud. It came toward us with a mighty roar. It seemed to be a turning mass, and whirled and whirled about, first in this and then in that direction. It came on us like a flash, and so soon that we did not have time to prepare for it. The yacht seemed to be literally swamped many times and it was due to only the courage of the crew that the boat weathered the storm."

FIVE SMOTHERED TO DEATH.

Bush Fire Sets Aflame a Mine Air Shaft in Washington.

Isaquah, Wash., Aug. 22.—Five miners were smothered to death in the Isaquah Coal company's mines yesterday. A brush fire spread to the mouth of an air shaft, ignited the timbers and was sucked down by the ventilator into the workings where eighty men were employed. All the miners who were near the exit escaped.

Dominick Cassassos, Carlos Cassassos, C. M. Vovell, Ben Lawe and John Ling were in a remote chamber, and were overcome by smoke and black damp. The bodies were recovered.

Steamer Seized by a Marshal.

Port Huron, Mich., Aug. 22.—The steamer Inter Ocean, bound down, was seized by United States Marshal Lomasney yesterday on a writ issued by the St. Clair Steamship company, owners of the schooner Fontana. It is asserted the Inter Ocean passed the schooner Santiago in the rapids above Port Huron, causing that vessel to shear into the Fontana and sinking her. The Inter Ocean will be appraised, bonded and released pending a suit to locate the blame for the loss of the Fontana.

Called Him a "Nigger."

New Orleans, Aug. 22.—A shooting affray that occurred yesterday on a truck farm owned by Rudolph Eschman, in the French portion of the city, had its origin in Eschman calling a neighbor, Louis Delatorre, a negro. The latter went home, secured a revolver, and upon returning shot both Eschman and his step-brother, Frank Deothy. A general fight occurred and all the men are in the hospital. Eschman cannot recover from his injuries.

He Got His Steam All Right.

Glenford, O., Aug. 22.—Engineer Laviga Dupleir, employed at a saw mill two miles east of here, screwed down a safety valve to raise steam. Twenty minutes later the boiler exploded, completely wrecking the mill and instantly killing Dupleir, Eliza Winegarner and James McLaughlin. Joseph Foster and Manna Helsor were seriously injured, while David Dupleir, who was sitting by the side of McLaughlin, miraculously escaped.

Mount in Demand for Speeches.

Indianapolis, Aug. 22.—President McKinley, indirectly, has said it would be pleasing to him if Governor Mount would spend all the time he could in the campaign in stumpng the state of Ohio. Governor Mount now has about seventy-five applications for speeches at different points in Indiana and outside.

Much Honor for the Boers.

Paris, Aug. 22.—It is reported that the Dutch colony in St. Petersburg gave a great reception to Dr. Leyds and the Boer delegates, Wolmarans, Wessels and Fischer. Dr. Leyds was carried on the shoulders of the crowd from the railway station to the hotel.

Afghan Fakirs Raising Cain.

Paris, Aug. 22.—Fanatic fakir priests at Kabul, Afghanistan, are said to be fomenting a holy crusade against Great Britain. Kabul is crowded with romantic tribes, all armed to the teeth.

THE MARKETS.

Chicago Grain and Produce.				
Chicago, Aug. 21.				
Following were the quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade today:				
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
August	72 1/4	72 3/4	71 3/4	72 1/4
September	72 1/4	72 3/4	71 3/4	72 1/4
October	72 1/4	72 3/4	71 3/4	72 1/4
Corn—				
August	46	46 1/4	45 3/4	46
September	46	46 1/4	45 3/4	46
October	46	46 1/4	45 3/4	46
Oats—				
August	21 1/4	21 3/4	21 1/4	21 1/4
September	21 1/4	21 3/4	21 1/4	21 1/4
October	21 1/4	21 3/4	21 1/4	21 1/4
Pork—				
September	11.10	11.10	10.90	10.92 1/2
October	11.20	11.20	10.97 1/2	10.97 1/2
January	11.10	11.10	10.95	11.00
Lard—				
September	6.72 1/2	6.75	6.67 1/2	6.67 1/2
October	6.75	6.77 1/2	6.72 1/2	6.72 1/2
January	6.45	6.47 1/2	6.45	6.47 1/2
Short ribs—				
September	7.02 1/2	7.02 1/2	6.97 1/2	6.97 1/2
October	6.95	6.97 1/2	6.87 1/2	6.87 1/2
January	5.82 1/2	5.85	5.80	5.80
Butter: Produce—Extra creamery,				
1 1/2 c per lb; extra dairy, 1 1/2 c; pack-				
ing stock, 1 1/2 c. Eggs—Fresh stock,				
1 1/2 c per doz. Live poultry—Turkeys,				
76 lb per lb; chickens, 75 c; spring,				
10 lb per lb; ducks, 75 c; spring,				
7 1/2 c; geese, 3.00 c 25 per doz. New pot-				
atoes—Early Ohio, 30 c 41 c per bu. New				
apples—1 1/2 c 2 1/2 c per bu. Blackber-				
ries—60 c 85 c per 16-lb case.				
Chicago Live Stock.				
Chicago, Aug. 21.				
Hogs—Estimated receipts for the day,				
13,000. Sales ranged at \$3.75 to \$5.15 for				
pigs; \$5.10 to \$5.50 for light; \$4.85 to \$5.05 for				
rough packing; \$5.10 to \$5.40 for mixed and				
\$5.10 to \$5.40 for heavy packing and ship-				
ping lots.				
Milwaukee Grain.				
Milwaukee, Aug. 21.				
Wheat—Firm; No. 1 northern, 75 1/4 c;				
No. 2 do, 72 1/2 c; No. 3 do, 72 1/2 c. Rye—				
Firm; No. 1, 51 c 51 1/2 c. Barley—				
Steady; No. 2, 49 c 50 c; sample, 35 c				
48 c. Oats—Steady; No. 2 white, 25 1/2 c				
25 1/2 c.				

Suicides and Crossroads.

It has been suggested that suicides were buried at crossroads because it was usual to erect a cross at such places. Those who were excluded from holy rites were buried there as the place next in sanctity to consecrated ground. It was an old superstition that the devil danced at crossroads and that the erection of a cross thereat would prevent such unseemly practices. From this or some other superstition, such as the fear that his ghost might walk the earth, arose the custom of driving a stake through the suicide's body.

These plausible theories have gained many advocates, but it is more likely that burial at crossroads was intended as a mark of indignity. The temples, or rather altars, of the heathen Teutons were mostly at the junction of crossroads. The place of execution was there, and criminals were sacrificed to the gods; hence suicides were buried at the crossroads to give as strong an impression as possible of heathen burial. Probably, too, the publicity of such a spot, which insured the fact that a great number of people would become directly aware of the degrading consequences of the crime, had a good deal to do with its selection.

A curious fact in this connection is to be found in Plato's Laws (book ix, chapter 12). The murderer of any of his near kin, after being put to death, was "cast out of the city, naked, in an appointed place where three roads meet, and let all the magistrates, in behalf of the whole state, carry each a stone and hurl it at the head of the dead body."

"Norma" and Liberty.

In an air in the opera of "Norma" the theatrical censor went so far as to cancel the word "liberty" (liberty) and substitute for it the word "lealtà" (loyalty). * * * Signor Ronconi, the famous baritone and a great public favorite, having, in the ardor of his role, forgotten the above mentioned emendation, was imprisoned for three days in order to refresh his memory.

Not long after, singing the line in the "Ellsair d'Amore" describing how a peasant enlisted, "Vende la liberta, si fe soldato" (He sold his liberty to be a soldier), he waggishly altered it to "Vende la lealtà, si fe soldato." This variation in the text was received with lively applause by the public, who always warmly welcomed anything that savored of political opposition.

The next day the poor singer was summoned by the head of the police to receive a reprimand for having said that "loyalty could be sold," to which Ronconi replied by observing that a few days before he had been taught in a way he was not likely to forget that "lealtà" ought always to be substituted for "libertà."—Pietro Orsi's "Modern Italy."

The First Early Evening Paper.

The plan of this Paper not being generally known, the Proprietors most respectfully take the Liberty of submitting the following Sketch of it to the perusal of the Public.

The Noon Gazette will be regularly published every day at Twelve o'clock and will contain all the actual news of the Nine Morning Papers, cautiously and faithfully selected from them. Every Species of Misinformation and Untruth will be guarded against with the utmost care, and the Communication of real authenticated Intelligence only will ever be the grand Object of this Print.

Besides the Advantage of having all the News of the Nine Morning Papers comprized in one, the Noon Gazette will contain a Postscript with every Article of important Intelligence that may arise on the Morning of its publication, so that as well as a universal Morning Paper, this Print will be found little, if at all, inferior to any Evening Publication.—From The Noon Gazette and Daily Register, 1780.

Some Ink and a Shirt.

I once remember having a noted London doctor out at sea for a little amateur fishing. He would like to see a boligo cuttle caught, he said. I warned him of what was likely to happen when gaffing was on, but he did not care. "Surely," he said, "I can dodge such guesswork as this must be for so short a time."

I felt dubious as to the result, seeing his white shirt was a prominent object through his having such an open vest. Finally a cuttle took the bait, and as I drew it toward us the doctor lost all thought of himself and his adornments in his admiration of the movements and the beautiful eyes of the creature when in an instant, as I gaffed it, the whole ink charge struck him in the throat and sadly blackened his white habiliments.—Contemporary Review.

Costly Violins.

The current value of Stradivarius violins in London is said to range from £80 to £800. In Stradivarius' own time one Cervoetto of London received a commission of the master's instruments which he was commissioned to sell for £4 apiece. But he was obliged to send them back, as no Englishman at that time would buy them at any such figure. Stradivarius himself is said to have asked a price of 4 louis d'or for each of his violins.

Her Prospects Good.

"Do you think he can support you in good style after you are married, dear? I hear he is worth nothing." "I know Harold isn't rich, mamma, but he has his life insured for \$20,000, and I could get along quite comfortably on that."—Chicago Tribune.

Giving Them the Slip.

An impecunious man in Kansas City practically lives on bananas. When he eats them, he throws the peels just outside his office door. That's the way he gives his creditors the slip.—Kansas City Star.

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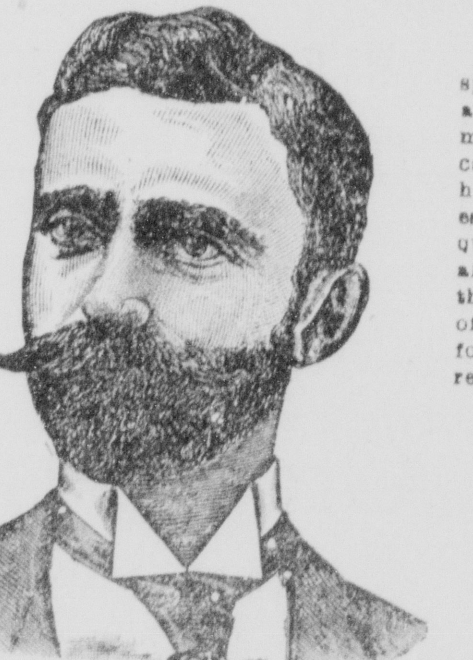
CHRONIC • DISEASE • CURED!

The day of so-called "incurable diseases" is almost past. Owing to the great advances made in science and inventions within the past few years, there is now hardly a disease that cannot be successfully coped with by a great physician, the case. He must, also, have the newly invented and improved surgical instruments; last but not least, he must employ the medicines used in the MODERN TREATMENT of disease.

DR. PRETTYMAN.

The Famous Specialist of Chicago, will again be in Dixon, Ill., Thursday, September 6th.

At the NACHUSA HOUSE, 9 a. m. to 9 p. m. Returning every four weeks.



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Look at These Prices!

We now make no distinction as to price; come in and take your choice of any suit in our "Odds and Ends" lot for \$12.50. This includes \$15, 18, 20 and \$25 in all styles. You make your selection and the SUIT IS YOURS

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Special Offer of all Straw Hats.

We have a large collection of odds and ends in Straw Hats which you can take your choice of for

One-half Regular Price.

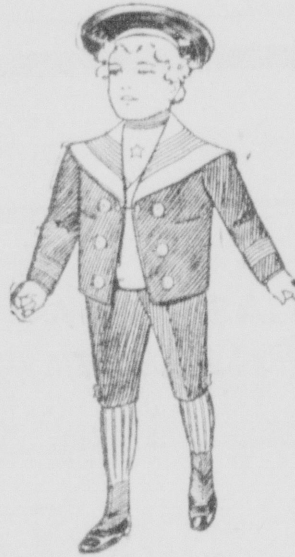
Wash Suits and Pants.

Odds and Ends of Children's Wash Suits, ages 4 to 12; a fine lot left to select from and prices from

50c to \$1.00.

Odds and Ends of Wash Pants for

50c.



Shoes

All broken lots of this Spring and Summer styles now will go. Light Tans, Dark Tans, Black's and Oxfords. The highest grades, such as Burt & Packard, Packard & Field \$5.00 Shoes for \$3.75, \$4.00 Shoes for \$2.25

—Frank Rhodes was down from Polo.

—Additional local matter on third page.

—Mrs. Frank Emmert and son were in from Nachusa today.

—Miss Alice Keener of Chicago is a guest at the J. V. Thomas home.

—Editor Lyman of the Amboy Journal is here to take in the K. of G. celebration.

—Mrs. Fred Smith of East Fellows street leaves Dixon tomorrow for a visit in the east.

—Misses Ethel and Lida Berry, who have been visiting in Dixon, returned home to Savanna today.

—Ashton sent a delegation of 240 people to Dixon today and was one of the best represented town of its size.

—Miss Mae Brookner leaves tomorrow for Bloomington; later she will go to St. Louis. She will be gone about two weeks.

—The ball game at Athletic Park this morning between the Morrison and Dixon nines resulted in a score of 3 to 2 in favor of Morrison.

—Mrs. Edward Merritt and daughter Eva, who have been guests of Atty. E. E. Wingert and family the past few weeks, left today for their home in Anaheim, Cal.

—Mrs. Edna Robertson, a well known resident of Forreston, died at her home Sunday morning, aged 45 years. Her maiden name was Miss Edna Florence.

—Miss Hattie Woodworth of Warren this state, is spending a few days with her cousin, Captain Frisby and sister. Miss Woodworth is assistant in the post office at Warren.

—Henry Adams came up from Amboy today. He reports that the train from that city, when the Pawpaw contingent arrived was so crowded that standing room was at a premium.

—The Dixon Baptist Association now in session in this city will close tomorrow afternoon at five o'clock. The business having been disposed of more rapidly than anticipated, the evening session will be dispensed with. The doctrinal sermon by Rev. A. L. Wilkinson, D. D., which was programmed for the evening will be delivered at 4 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

—Two boys, a son of Walter Mason of Lee Center, and a son of Frank Metzler of Dixon were driving a pony hitched to a cart down Depot ave. last evening when one of the wheels ran off and threw the boys out on the street. They were badly frightened and escaped without injury. The pony with one of the spindles dragging on the ground took a run toward Third street and but for his quick dodges would have collided with several vehicles. Judge Crabtree's carriage was standing in front of the Crabtree residence at the time and things looked rather serious here when the Crabtree horse reared up in front and the pony and cart passed under without a collision.

Funeral of Mark Dornan.

Mark Dornan, whose death we briefly announced last evening, died in the Dixon hospital at 2:30 Tuesday afternoon, August 21, aged 50 years. He leaves a daughter, Miss Alice, in this city, and three brothers in South Dakota. He was taken to the home of his friend Peter Blackburn, 82 Hennepin avenue, where at 9:30 tomorrow (Thursday) forenoon a brief funeral service will be held, and a regular service at 10 o'clock in St. Patrick's church, with burial in Oakwood cemetery.

Marriage Licenses.

The following marriage licenses were granted today:

Name	Place	Age
Charles F. Huyett	Nachusa	22
Alice R. Thomas	Franklin Grove	23
Hollis Phillips	Rhodes, Iowa	21
Elizabeth Berry	Dixon	21

Married Today.

Miss Alice R. Thomas of Franklin Grove and Charles F. Huyett of Nachusa township were united in marriage today, Aug. 22, by Rev. C. Flickinger at the parsonage in this city.

A Measure of Success.

Friend—Oh, by the way, I have been curious to know whether you were successful with that strange patient you were treating last winter.

Doctor—I was, partially. He has paid almost half of his bill.—Philadelphia Catholic Standard and Times.

Calves are never killed in Morocco because of a popular notion that if deprived of them the cows would cease to give milk.

If justice ruled, what a shifting of jobs there would be.—Milwaukee Journal.

"Quo Vadis."

Tonight at the Dixon Opera House.

VERY LATEST.

FROM PEKIN.

Special by American Press Association: WASHINGTON, August 22.—The Navy department has received the following dispatch from Commodore Remy dated at Chefoo yesterday which states that, "All Pekin except the Imperial City is now cleared of Chinese troops. The American troops were the first to enter the Imperial City and the first to penetrate to the gates of the imperial palace."

Captain Reilly of the Fifth United States Artillery was killed on the 15th instant.

General Chaffee's losses in today's fighting were six killed and thirty wounded.

Shirt-Waist Dance.

Cards are out today announcing a shirt-waist dance next Friday evening at the Maxwell flat, on West Second Street. The party is to be given by Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Kaylor, Miss Maxwell and Mr. Edwin Maxwell, in honor of their guest, Miss Anderson.

Only Opportunity

Of seeing the great play, "Quo Vadis." Tonight Dixon Opera House.

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Quo Vadis.	Dixon
Quo Vadis.	Opera
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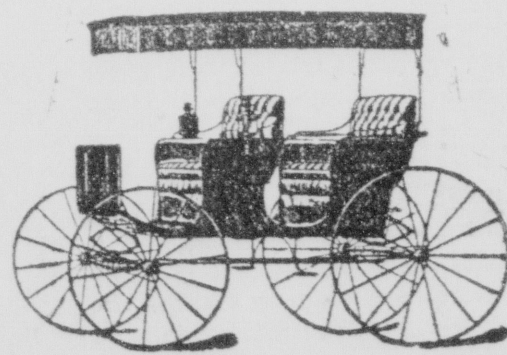
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